WEATHER FORECASTS

The barometer is rising on the Coast and fair, warmer weather is becoming general over this Province. Showers are reported in Saskatchewan and abnormally high temperatures in Manitoba.

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PREMIER APPEALS TO NATION TO KILL STRIKE

VOTE ON BUDGET LIKELY TUESDAY

Ottawa Commons Debate Drifts Through Another Sitting—Government Record Defended by Liberals

THIRTY-MINUTE LIMIT FOR SPEECHES URGED

Cabinet Ministers and Party Leaders Alone Should Have Right to Talk at Length, Conservative Suggests

OTTAWA, May 5.—Debate on the budget again drifted through another sitting with prospects of a division on Tuesday next. C. A. McIntosh, Liberal, stressed the point that since Confederation, only eleven budgets had shown a decrease in Canada's debt and seven of these budgets had been Liberal budgets.

J. L. Stansell, Conservative, said the budget would not benefit the poor man. Would it not have been better, he asked, to retain the three-cent postage and use the surplus for extension of rural mail delivery.

Wilfred Girouard, Liberal, Drummond-Athabaska, and A. D. Chaplin, Conservative, Kent, were subsequent speakers.

Government Defended

Mr. McIntosh said the opposition had tried to give to Providence the entire credit for the agricultural prosperity of Canada in the last few years. Providence helped those who helped themselves. He believed the tariff board was "worth experimenting with," and thought that "we should send every ounce of grain possible through the Maritime ports." He defended the British preferential tariff, which he held had contributed largely to building up Canadian export trade. He concluded with an appeal to set aside all sectionalism.

Mr. Stansell at the outset of his remarks said he believed the rules of the House should be amended to limit speeches to thirty minutes except in the case of cabinet ministers and party leaders. The budget, he declared, had been skilfully prepared to secure votes and popular support.

Farmers Helped

Mr. Girouard said that the Liberal party had opposed all measures unfavorable to the agricultural classes. This stand was manifest in the opposition to the reduction in the tariff on motor cars and in regard to treaties negotiated by the Government. These latter would open new markets for farm products.

Mr. Chaplin thought that if the Government had been very sincere about putting the automobile within reach of the poor man, it would have removed the luxury tax which would have meant a greater cut in the price.

Fraser Rising

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C., May 5.—The Fraser River is rising rapidly, the thirteen-foot mark being passed on Tuesday at Mission. Warm weather in the upper country during the past week is responsible for the rise.

From the Colonist Tower

Thursday, May 6

126th Day. 1926

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and warmer.

Sun Rises: 4:47 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 7:32 o'clock.

High Tide: 11:54 p.m., 7.9 feet.
Low Tide: 4:16 p.m., 2.8 feet.

Deep Sea Shipping

Departures—
Motorship Aorangi for Australia, 12 midnight, steamer Ruth Alexander, for California, 11 p.m.

Sport

Davies wins Province bicycle race.
Miss Sayward wins Colwood medal.
Australian cricket match drawn.
Colwood Club re-elects officers.

The News

Local and Provincial—
Lieut.-Gen. Sir Percy Lake makes appeal for unity on part of all ex-service men.
Victoria Real Estate Board elects officers for year.
Victoria's float for entry in Tulip Festival parade at Bellingham goes over today. Mayor Pendray will follow tomorrow.
Governor-General will plant tree on site of Queen Alexandra Solarium.
More than 25,000 crates of strawberries and large tonnage of loganberries on Saanich Peninsula are assured.
Empire Shopping Week being advocated for city.
Many fraternal organizations will meet in Victoria this Summer.

Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—
Railway subsidy to meet rate equalization drain opposed by C.P.R. president.
Ottawa budget vote may come next Tuesday.
British strike denounced by Premier Baldwin as challenge to Parliament and road to anarchy.
Defeat of Labor in British conflict regarded by Government as certainty.
London papers making reappearance on streets.
Amundsen airship flies from Russia to Northern Norway.

RAIL SUBSIDY HELD UNWISE

Would Be Merely New Tax on People, Says President Beatty of C.P.R., Discussing Freight Rates

LINES UNABLE TO STAND FURTHER REVENUE LOSS

Company's Shipbuilding Programme Hit by British Strike—Construction of New Liners to Take Longer

MONTREAL, May 5.—The suggestion that the Government should by way of subsidy make up the difference between railway rates found to be reasonable and remunerative and a lower basis considered to be expedient in the interests of certain parts of the country, was criticized by Mr. E. W. Beatty, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, in his address to the shareholders at the annual meeting of the company today here. The proposal was tantamount to a further tax on the whole people in the interests of shippers from individual sections, he declared.

The improvement in conditions noted in the annual report had continued, said Mr. Beatty, with the result that the increase in gross earnings for the first quarter of the present year amounted to $3,730,187, and in net earnings to $2,675,385.

"As in previous years, and because of its importance, I find it necessary to again advert to the freight rate situation in Canada," Mr. Beatty declared. "Under Orders-in-Council passed last year and in the early part of this year, the Railway Commission has been directed to embark upon an extensive inquiry looking to the equalization, so far as that is possible, of the freight rate structure in Canada. While the Orders-in-Council are, of course, incapable of overriding the definite provisions of the statute on the subject of rates, they indicate the attitude of the Government and have, therefore, an im-

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BERRY CROP WILL ACHIEVE RECORD

NEARLY 600 PICKERS WILL BE NEEDED TO HANDLE FRUIT ON SAANICH PENINSULA

More Than 25,000 Crates of Strawberries Is Estimated—Heavy Crop of Loganberries

One of the brightest years in the fruitgrowing industry on the Saanich Peninsula is anticipated by local growers. The lack of frost, early Summer weather and the recent downpour of rain have all been factors in producing one of the best crops in the history of Saanich.

Picking of berries is expected to be started within the next ten days or two weeks, and some 500 to 600 pickers will be needed this season, officials of the principal fruitgrowers' associations announced last night.

Strawberries are well advanced and picking should commence about the last week of this month. It is estimated that some sixteen cars of this fruit will be shipped to the prairies this year from Keating and Gordon Head. Mr. H. E. Tanner, manager of the Saanich Fruitgrowers' Association, estimated the Keating strawberry crop at 18,000 crates for the prairies, and about 1,500 crates for the local market, while Mr. R. S. Twining, secretary of the Gordon Head Association, estimates the crop of that district at 6,000

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FRATERNAL BODIES TO VISIT VICTORIA

Masons and Foresters Will Be in Session Here This Summer—Conventions in Neighboring Cities

Allusion has already been made to the number of conventions of associations, national, regional and Provincial, which have decided on Victoria for their conferences this year, but little has been said about the fraternal bodies coming to Victoria and Vancouver in the Summer of this year.

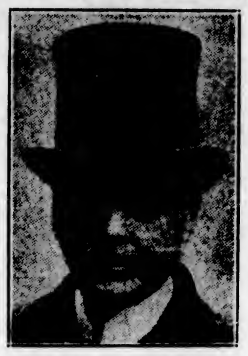
The British Columbia Grand Lodge of the A.F. & A.M. will again meet in Victoria, the dates set being June 17 to 19. It will be the fifty-fifth annual communication.

Vancouver Island district conference of the Ancient Order of Foresters will meet here on August 16 and 17.

In view of the fact that the Northwest Moose will meet in Vancouver on June 3, 4 and 5, the Canadian Elks in Vancouver on August 5, 6 and 7, the Grand Aerie of Eagles in Seattle in the middle of August, and other bodies will assemble which have not yet set their dates, there is no doubt the movement of fraternal delegates to Victoria will be extensive. The local Eagles have already taken in hand a programme for Victoria, to entertain Grand Aerie visitors.

Last year Victoria had a very large number of fraternal delegates here, owing to the national gatherings of the Shrine, Odd Fellows, Elks and Knights Templar being held at various cities on the Pacific seaboard.

Ready to Employ Troops To Keep Railways Going



SIR WM. JOYNSON-HICKS

British Home Secretary, who announced in the House of Commons yesterday that the Government was prepared to use soldiers, if necessary, to maintain services of vital importance such as the railways.

GEN. LAKE MAKES PLEA FOR UNITY

PRESIDENT CANADIAN LEGION OF B.E.S.L. TELLS WHAT HAS BEEN ACCOMPLISHED

Work of Organization Goes Forward—Needy Cases of Returned Men Being Looked After

Making an appeal for unity of action on the part of all those who had served in the interests of "our country, our homes and of civilization itself," Lieut.-General Sir Percy H. N. Lake, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., president of the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League, addressed the members of the Victoria Legion branch and other ex-service men last evening. He explained that the principles of the legion were embodied in loyalty to the Empire, to the King and to Canada. It stood for the maintenance of true comradeship among those who served the Empire in the war.

The speaker pointed out that the objects in view in the organization of such a body was that of looking after the welfare of those who served and particularly looking to the safeguarding of the widows and dependents of those who had fallen or who were in need through the injuries received by those who served.

Special Care for Dependents

These widows and dependents, Sir Percy contended, should be the special care of those who were left. In joining the Legion they would be doing "their bit" towards this end

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AMUNDSEN AIRSHIP ARRIVES AT VADSO

POLAR DIRIGIBLE FLIES FROM LENINGRAD TO NORTHERN NORWAY TOWN

Giant Craft Making Way North for Exploring Flight From Spitzbergen Across North Pole

OSLO, Norway, May 6.—The dirigible Norge arrived at Vadso, northern Norway, at 4:30 o'clock this morning. The airship, which is to endeavor to take the Amundsen-Ellsworth expedition across the North Pole from Spitzbergen, left its hangar at Trotsk, a suburb of Leningrad, Wednesday morning.

MOSCOW, May 6.—At 1:15 o'clock this (Thursday) morning, the Amundsen-Ellsworth airship Norge, which started yesterday morning from Trotsk on the way to Spitzbergen, passed over Kandalaksha on the Kola peninsula.

Kandalaksha is about 200 miles south of Vadso, Norway, where there is a mooring mast. Vadso is a short distance from the edge of the Arctic Ocean.

LABOR DEFEAT HELD CERTAIN

Government Communique Expresses Confidence Workers Will Lose Great Conflict in Britain—Unions Optimistic

PARLIAMENT CHALLENGED SAYS PREMIER BALDWIN

Message Issues to Nation—Citizens Warned Laborites' Action Is Road to Anarchy and Ruin

LONDON, May 5.—Confidence that it will win the great conflict now testing the nation was the keynote of the Government's strike communique to the press tonight. This communique stated that distribution of food and fuel was being carried on methodically and that rail transportation was recovering gradually, and was already in better shape than during the crisis of 1919.

Power and light were adequately maintained, with electric stations manned by efficient technical volunteers. More volunteers had been registered as special constables. The nation was bearing its discomforts with fortitude and good temper and no troops had been called upon except for general protection.

Labor Claims Success

Success in all quarters was reported by the spokesman for the Trades Union Congress at the press conference tonight. The announcement was made concerning the railways that there had never been so complete compliance with strike orders.

"All the latest reports indicate the same solidarity and unanimity as on the first day of the strike," he said. "Our machine is working and exceeding our expectations. Both men and women in the fighting line are standing steadily together.

"As an indication of the feeling in the country, we have received a resolution passed by the Primitive Methodist Hull district synod appealing to

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B.C. LIQUOR VESSEL TRAILED 500 MILES

U.S. COASTGUARD CUTTER FOLLOWS STEAMER PRINCIPIO FOR DAYS AT SEA

Chase Finally Abandoned When Rum Craft Heads for Mexican Coast With $750,000 Cargo

SAN DIEGO, Cal., May 5.—Details of a thrilling 500-mile chase of the British Columbia rum steamer Principio, which began at Point Sur on the Central California coast and ended abreast Guadaloupe Island, Lower California, were related by officers of the United States coastguard cutter Tamaroa when they arrived in port today.

With an alleged cargo of whisky valued at more than $750,000, the Principio was sighted by the Tamaroa off Point Sur a week ago.

The Tamaroa immediately started in pursuit. Instead of turning about, the skipper of the Principio coolly proceeded southward, steering a course, however, that eventually carried the rum-runner and pursuing coastguard cutter 280 miles off shore. When well below the Mexican border the Principio headed in short and only when the rum-runner was near Guadaloupe Island did the Tamaroa desert her quarry and proceed to San Diego.

The Principio is one of four large ships that have successfully defied the American prohibition fleet. The rum-runners have shifted their operations from the three-mile limit to as far as 200 miles off shore, making their capture impossible under existing laws governing traffic on the high seas.

London Papers Reappear; Mail Castigates Strikers

Two Governments in Britain Now, Newspaper Declares—"Not Going to See J. H. Thomas and Ramsay MacDonald Imitating Lenin and Trotzky"

LONDON, May 6.—The Times, which yesterday was able to publish only a type-script leaflet, appeared this morning in its usual form, but with only four pages. There are fifteen columns of advertisements. The rest of the paper is chiefly devoted to strike news and the proceedings of Parliament.

The office of The Times was strongly protected during the preparation and issue of today's paper. A crowd of hostile persons gathered outside and some attempts were made to prevent the departure of delivery automobiles. The police had little trouble in suppressing the malcontents.

It is understood all the work connected with producing the paper was done by the editorial staff.

During the night there had been rumors that the building of The Times was on fire.

LONDON, May 5.—The Daily Mail, which has been unable to print since Sunday because of a strike of mechanical workers who objected to an editorial, reappeared this afternoon in a two-page type-script edition.

The Mail says there are now two government in Britain, one lawful government representing 40,000,000 persons and the other "an unconstitutional, revolutionary government representing 3,600,000 trade unionists."

The paper declares that "one of these governments must go." "We are not going to see J. H. Thomas and Ramsay MacDonald imitating the work of Lenin and Trotzky here." The Mail says of the Labor leaders.

"Nor will the British people—which is entirely different from the pathetic, submissive mujiks of Russia—submit to such an odious tyranny."

LABOR'S COURSE DENOUNCED AS CHALLENGE TO COMMONS, ROAD TO ANARCHY AND RUIN

British Prime Minister Calls Upon Citizens to Stand Behind Government "to Preserve the Liberties and Privileges of the People"—Serves New Ultimatum on Unions

LONDON, May 5.—"The general strike is a challenge to Parliament and is the road to anarchy and ruin." The British Prime Minister, Stanley Baldwin, thus characterizes the vast Labor movement in support of the miners' strike, in a message printed by the official Government paper, The British Gazette.

He calls upon all good citizens to stand behind the Government "to preserve the liberties and privileges of the people of the British Isles."

In the House of Commons the Prime Minister made the unequivocal declaration that the general strike order must be withdrawn before the Government would resume negotiations for industrial peace. At the same session of the Commons, Sir William Joynson-Hicks, the Home Secretary, intimated that troops would be employed, if necessary, to maintain services of vital importance.

Both Sides Cheerful

Meanwhile in many cities and throughout many districts industry is almost at a standstill. Both Government and Labor lay claim to improvement on their side of the struggle. Labor's official estimate of the number of persons actually on strike is between 2,500,000 and 3,000,000.

Those representing the Government express satisfaction with what they term "the improved conditions." The Labor leaders assert that the railroads and transport generally are almost completely tied up, while the Government declares that transport conditions are better than in the strike in 1919.

The strikers have been joined by the taxicab drivers, and while this is not of great importance in the outside districts, it will add to the inconvenience of Londoners.

No Peace Move Seen

Up to midnight apparently no move had been made toward bringing the Government and the strike leaders together, although the men highest in the councils of Labor are in almost continuous conference among themselves. Apparently Premier Baldwin is permitting them to take the initiative.

Labor Paper Raided

A sensational incident of the day was a raid by Scotland Yard on the office of The Daily Herald, the Labor

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PEACE FORECAST THIS WEEK-END

London Clings to Hope of Early Settlement of Industrial Feud as Union Leaders Confer

MONDAY TO END STRIFE SOME QUARTERS EXPECT

Little Violence Reported—Interference With Auto Busses and Railways Attributed by Police to Hooligans

LONDON, May 5.—The close of the second day of Great Britain's vast industrial upheaval found the country on the whole following Premier Baldwin's advice—"Keep steady."

London endured a drizzling rain, and a midday fog which overhung the city turned day into night and the holiday spirit of yesterday into phlegmatic sullenness on the part of the many workless.

But late in the afternoon the skies brightened, and evening added a faint ray of hope that tomorrow may bring developments for renewed negotiations between the Government and the trade unions.

New Conferences Held

Based on various conferences held this evening, one of which was believed to be between Ramsay MacDonald, A. J. Cook and Herbert Smith, Labor leaders, there formed predictions in some quarters of possible important developments. One was that the general strike would be ended by Monday.

Nevertheless there is no precise information on the subject, although it is known that such men as Ramsay MacDonald are striving with might and main to bring about a settlement, the former Labor Premier even imploring the House of Commons, prior to its adjournment today, to "do something toward a settlement."

Little Rioting

Instances of isolated rioting and disturbances were features of the sparse news bulletins and handbill newspapers, but these incidents seem almost negligible when the vital

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EMPIRE SHOPPING WEEK IS ADVOCATED

Ladies' Delegation Waits on Lieutenant-Governor—Will Call on Mayor Pendray Today

The Empire Shopping Week movement, which had its inception locally a few days ago when Miss Lottie Bowron brought the matter before the Local Council of Women, is being carried right to official headquarters now, with a view to enlisting the support of the most influential Provincial and civic authorities as well as the merchants.

A committee of ladies, with Miss Lottie Bowron as spokesman, waited on the Lieutenant-Governor yesterday morning at the Parliament Buildings, and gave an outline of the scheme in the hope that it might be possible to make the move Provincial-wide. His Honor listened sympathetically, and while non-committal as to the possibilities of the plan, seemed personally favorably disposed toward the idea.

The delegation comprised, in addition to Miss Bowron, Mrs. Curtis Sampson, Provincial vice-regent of the I.O.D.E.; Miss Crease, president of the Local Council of Women; Miss Agnew, president of the Women's Canadian Club, and Mrs. Colby, president of the Victoria Women's Institute.

The same delegation has an appointment to call upon Mayor Pendray this morning at the city hall.

The idea of Empire Shopping Week originated in England with the Women's Patriotic League, whose president, Lady Cowan, explained the project in the course of an address she gave before the Women's Canadian Club here last November. Its object is twofold:

To advertise Empire-made goods by securing the co-operation of the merchants and getting them to display during the week beginning on Empire Day, May 24, only Empire-made things.

And to educate the shopping public to buy Empire goods, which of course, as Lieutenant-Governor Bruce reminded yesterday's delegation, embrace British Columbia manufactures.

Will Not Reopen Parleys Before Men Resume Work

Breakdown of Negotiations Aired in House—Mr. Baldwin Accused of Breaking Off Discussions While Laborites Were Still Considering Cabinet Offer—Details of Proposal Secret

Makes Plea in Commons For Strike Settlement

MR. RAMSAY MACDONALD

Former Labor Premier, who yesterday, in the House of Commons, implored the members to "do something toward a settlement" of the British strike.

Governor-General To Plant Tree at Site of Solarium

LORD and Lady Byng have accepted an invitation to visit the site of the Queen Alexandra Solarium on Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, on their way down the Island. They will leave Qualicum on that day and opportunity is being taken to have His Excellency plant a tree on the site.

The Governor-General's act will be the first public function on the site at Mill Bay, which will shortly be occupied, as the committee has recently announced its intention of building the institute, sufficient money being in hand to warrant inviting tenders for construction.

BAD WEATHER HALTS NEW BARROW FLIGHT

Falling Snow in Mountain District Forces Capt. Wilkins to Delay Voyage From Fairbanks

By FREDERICK LEWIS EARP
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FAIRBANKS, Alaska, May 5.—Adverse weather conditions developing at Wiseman, 200 miles north of here, appeared likely to delay again the departure of Captain George H. Wilkins, commander of the Detroit Arctic Expedition, for Point Barrow this afternoon in the monoplane Alaskan.

The government radio station at Wiseman reported it was snowing this morning and at noon reported poor visibility in the direction of the Endicott Mountains.

On his next voyage, Captain Wilkins intends to stop at Barrow only long enough to refuel and then to cruise over the ice pack of the Polar Sea in search of land with the prospect of reaching the pole of relative inaccessibility, eighty-three degrees thirty minutes north and 160 degrees west, before he turns back.

WARSAW, May 5. — President Wolchlecowski today accepted the resignation of the cabinet headed by Count Alexander Skrzynski, which was presented on April 21. The cabinet resigned over a question of financial policy

MANY WILL GO ON TRIP TOMORROW

MAYOR PENDRAY AND ALDERMEN TO HEAD CITIZENS BELLINGHAM-BOUND

Ss. Princess Charlotte to Take Big Party to Tulip Festival—City's Float Goes Today

The big excursion to Bellingham on the C.P.R. steamer Princess Charlotte tomorrow promises to be as popular and enjoyable as in former years. A large contingent of Victorians will make the trip to the American city to view the brilliant tulip festival parade and celebration. There has been a heavy demand for tickets.

Mayor J. Carl Pendray, Alderman F. R. Brown and likely other members of the city council will head the Victoria party of merrymakers who will be Bellingham-bound tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock. This annual visit of local citizens to Tulip Town is one of the outstanding events of the year, and is always greatly enjoyed by those who participate.

The Mayor will extend an invitation, through Mayor J. A. Kellogg, of Bellingham, to the people of that city to come to Victoria for the Victoria Day celebrations here from May 21 to May 24 inclusive.

The City of Victoria float, which will be entered in the tulip festival parade at Bellingham tomorrow, will be shipped over to Bellingham this morning by the Puget Sound Navigation Company, via Sidney and Anacortes. Miss Joyce Wormald, who will be seated on the float as Queen Victoria at the age of eighteen, will accompany the float across the water.

Six other girls of the inside City Hall staff, who have been busily decorating the float during the last fortnight, giving their own time in the project, will make the trip on the Ss. Princess Charlotte to Bellingham tomorrow as the city's guests. The city is also sending over the Boys' Naval Brigade Band, which will provide musical selections on the steamer, as well as take part in the tulip festival procession.

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SEVEN CONVICTS GAIN FREEDOM IN CHICAGO

Make Escape After Killing Warden and Wounding Guard—Flee in Prison Automobile

STATEVILLE, Ill., May 5.—Seven Chicago convicts serving long terms in the state penitentiary here, made their escape today, after killing a deputy warden, wounding a guard and forcing another guard under penalty of death to conduct them through the outer gates.

They kidnapped the guard and escaped in a prison automobile which a trusty was forced to drive. Later the guard and trusty were found handcuffed to trees in a wood near Ottawa, Illinois.

Four prisoners who escaped were serving sentences for murder and three of them ten years to life for robbery.

At Marylebone County Court "What is the defendant?"

Witness: "Professionally he is a husband supported by his wife."

GERMAN WORKERS VOTE STRIKE AID

UNIONS TO PREVENT BUNKERING OF BRITISH SHIPS IN GERMANY

British Movement to Be Helped in Every Possible Way—Employees Quit French Auto Plant

BERLIN, May 5.—The General Federation of Trade Unions at a meeting today with the executives of the miners, transportation workers and railway men, voted to support the British strikers in every possible way.

Bunkering of British ships in German harbors will be refused and every effort will be made to hinder the shipping of German crews on English ships.

A. J. Cook, general secretary of the British Miners' Federation, broadcast an appeal to the German workers for support of the British strike through the columns of the Socialist newspaper, Vorwaerts, today.

The appeal expresses appreciation for the sympathetic attitude of the German miners and declares the Miners' International is a real living body which will strive for international regulations of the hours and conditions of work.

French Workers Strike

PARIS, May 5.—Two thousand workers in an auto factory at St. Ouen, a suburb, have struck in sympathy with their British comrades. This is the only tangible support the British strike movement has received up to the present.

ATHENS, May 5.—A meeting of Greek workmen today voted sympathy with the British strikers.

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Malt Extract, lb.	18¢		

Liver and Bacon, Today	25c	Beef Hearts, Today	25c	Cooked Tripe, Today, lb.	10c

BOOKKEEPER TELLS OF GAUNT INVOICES

DISSATISFIED WITH WAY DOCUMENTS WERE USED, WENT TO CUSTOMS

Clearance Entries Always False, Declares Montreal Officer—Goods Declared Under Value

OTTAWA, May 5.—Investigation of the John W. Gaunt Company before the Customs inquiry committee took a new turn this afternoon, when Mr. Gaunt was replaced on the stand by M. J. Mann, former bookkeeper of the company. It was through information given by Mr. Mann that the Customs department first became aware that the Gaunt Company had in its possession blank certified invoices.

Mr. Mann told the committee that he went to the Customs department, taking with him copies of some of these invoices because he had become nervous about a $5,000 loan which he had obtained for John W. Gaunt. He was not satisfied that these invoices were being properly used.

Witness Grilled

There were some sharp exchanges between this witness and O. S. Tyndale, counsel for Mr. Gaunt, when the latter was trying to find out where Mr. Mann obtained the invoice copies which he showed to the Customs. Mr. Tyndale asked where the invoices were obtained and pressed his question repeatedly.

The witness finally admitted that the copies might have been obtained from the Gaunt office but said that such copies were frequently thrown into the waste paper basket.

Mr. Mann at the outset of his evidence, stated that he had been employed as accountant by the John W. Gaunt Company from October, 1921, to the Spring of 1923. He was asked why he had entered in his first balance sheet an item of $23,000 for "merchandise on hand and in transit September 1." He replied that Mr. Gaunt told him to do so. He could not remember that there was any merchandise on hand or in transit at the time.

Entries False, Says Officer

Customs Officer Hurson, of Montreal, another former bookkeeper of the Gaunt Company, told the committee that the value entered by the company for clearance of goods through Customs was invariably less than the price actually paid the manufacturer.

"There never was a true entry made," he said, in answer to a question by Hon. H. H. Stevens, in regard to the Customs entries of the Gaunt Company. Manufacturers' invoices were not presented to the Customs but invoices signed by Schneider, Gaunt's agent in Germany.

Mr. Gaunt on Stand

Gaunt gave the committee further information in regard to his importation of German dolls and toys, this morning, when his own solicitor, O. S. Tyndale, examined him.

The witness admitted that he had been arrested on a charge of having blank certified invoices. He had pleaded guilty to this charge because he thought by so doing he would facilitate the conduct of the case.

Early in the examination, Hon. H. H. Stevens, member of the committee, objected to a remark of Mr. Tyndale's that "insinuations" against his client were being made in the newspapers and had been made in parliament. Later evidence might prove that any such statements made about Mr. Gaunt could not be substantiated, he said.

Arrested as Spy

Gaunt stated that he was a British subject, born of British parents. He was travelling in Germany when the war broke out and was arrested as a British spy. He said for two years he was imprisoned in Germany and then escaped. He was later employed in connection with the British censorship.

Mr. Gaunt said that he had gone into voluntary liquidation in Winnipeg and was not bankrupt when he left for Montreal.

RAIL SUBSIDY HELD UNWISE

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portant influence on the position from which the situation is viewed. Unfortunately it may be assumed that the word 'equalization' only has one meaning in the minds of those seeking changes in the present rate scales, and that is that the rates which they complain of should be reduced to a lower basis than that which presently exists, and their contentions would, therefore, only be satisfied by lower scales.

Cannot Stand Less Revenue

"It is, I know, quite superfluous for me to assure you that in the present condition of operating costs the railways of Canada cannot afford reductions in revenues. To meet the needs of the carriers which are, I think, pretty generally recognized throughout the country, various suggestions have been made, the one most prominently mentioned being that the Government should, by way of subsidy, make up the difference between rates found to be reasonable and remunerative and a lower basis considered to be expedient in the interests of the industrial or agricultural activities of certain parts of the country; in other words, that disabilities under which certain sections of the country labor because of their geographical situation should be lessened or removed by abnormally low transportation charges, the railways being assisted by Government subvention in order to restore a rate parity and produce proper returns to them.

"I do not need to indicate to you the danger which lies in these attempts to correct by preferential treatment involving additional taxation, the disabilities which are claimed to exist, and which cannot help but exist in a country of such great distances as prevail in Canada. The provisions of our Railway Act respecting rates are sound, and are in entire consonance with the provision of similar legislation in countries where a close regulation of railway charges and services is in effect. Taxation in Canada is still heavy, and the proposals are tantamount to a further tax on the whole people in the interests of shippers from individual parts of the country and of specified commodities natural to those districts.

Nationalization Danger

"Apart altogether from the unnaturalness of this proposed method, it is one which is not free from danger to this company in that the greater the transportation burden which is put upon the shoulders of the whole people the greater the tendency toward nationalization. In order to give any substantial relief, the subsidies would run into millions of dollars per annum, and our Canadian people would be unconsciously influenced to think that if they have to support all railways by taxation they might as well couple with it ownership, and therefore, an interest in the results of the revenues produced from their operations. There is no desire in Canada for further nationalization of railway properties, and obviously such a step would be a retrograde one and not in the best interests of the country.

"I am satisfied that the methods of equalizing rates by Government subsidy and heavier taxation is unsound, both from the standpoint of the country itself and of the interests of the transportation companies.

Strike Hurts Programme

"It will not, I think, be necessary for me to supplement the full statement respecting the operations of the Atlantic and Pacific fleets of the company contained in the annual report. The programme of providing additional tonnage will be followed as indicated, with perhaps some variations in details to be determined by the board. It is possible, indeed quite likely, that the date of the delivery of some of the ships may be postponed in view of the time required to complete the detailed plans and specifications, and the unfortunate and serious strike in Great Britain, the consequences of which, while at the moment impossible to be estimated, may prove a serious obstacle to the completion as early as has been hoped of the programme which your directors recommend.

"Immigration for the first three months of this year has increased, there having been admitted into Canada from Great Britain, continental countries and the United States, approximately 16,720 immigrants, an increase of 5,928 or 54.9 per cent over the immigration in the same period last year. In addition, Canadians returned to Canada after an absence of six months or longer in the United States numbered 13,692, as against 6,458 during the first three months of 1925.

"A somewhat disquieting feature of the situation, however, is found in the continued exodus of Canadians to the United States, there having been, according to the most reliable estimates available, an immigration of 22,204 persons from Canada to the United States during the same period.

Country Going Ahead

"I feel, and my opinion is shared by the members of the board, that the country is making slow but sure progress, and while the greatest contribution to our development has been the improvement in agricultural conditions during the past three years, industrial expansion or even stability has not been marked, and is capable of substantial improvement. The country's great wealth in agricultural and forest products, mines and fisheries, and its vast supplies of power, constitute, of course, natural assets of the greatest importance. As their development proceeds, industrial expansion, providing our fiscal policies are sound and stable, should at least keep pace with them, which will mean increased prosperity in the central provinces, and more varied industrial activities in the West.

"In a country the size of Canada, with its wealth in agricultural land, agriculture must of necessity continue to constitute a large portion of the country's wealth, and while mixed farming is increasing, the production of grain will for many years constitute an important part of our agricultural activity, in that new areas will be put into crop to compensate for the lesser production in those districts where exclusive grain growing gives way to more diversified farming operations.

"You will be glad, though probably not surprised, to know that the high standard of efficiency for which the company is noted has been maintained, and the loyalty of its officers and men continues to be conspicuous and impressive."

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More Witnesses to Testify in Charge At Court Session

MAGISTRATE Jay will not make his formal decision disposing of the John R. Green perjury case, which is being given hearing in the City Police Court, until all witnesses for the defence have been heard. On Tuesday afternoon Mr. Frank Higgins, K.C., counsel for the defence, requested, and was granted an adjournment to enable him to produce additional witnesses. The defence is entitled to submit the evidence of these witnesses, Magistrate Jay explained in regard to the erroneous report yesterday that the defendant had already been sent up for trial by a higher court. As one of these witnesses named by Mr. Higgins must be brought here from Winnipeg, the hearing will not be resumed, it is expected, for a number of days.

Taxicab Men to Join British Strike Today

LONDON, May 5.—London's transport facilities will be reduced tomorrow by the withdrawal of the taxicabs. Up to the present the taxicab drivers have held aloof from the strike, but at a meeting late tonight their union decided to join forthwith.

Mistress: "Why don't you bring in the plum pudding, Jane?"

Jane (exultingly): "We couldn't get the brandy to light, mum; but it's all right now, we poured a little kerosene over it."

LABOR DEFEAT HELD CERTAIN

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the Government to take temporary control of the mines and reorganize the industry along the lines recommended by the Royal Commission. The resolution protests against the proposals to abolish the seven-hour day."

Support From Abroad

The spokesman declared that the Trades Union Congress had also received resolutions of support from the French Confederation, as well as the Dutch, Canadian, American and Irish organizations and the International Transport Workers.

Relative to the supply of electricity, the unions concerned would be asked to formulate a policy regarding light and power but had not yet officially decided on their policy. The question of extending the stoppage to the post-office, telegraph and mails, had not yet come officially before the council.

Premier's Message

On the Government's side, The British Gazette contains the following message from the Prime Minister:

"Constitutional Government is being attacked. Let all good citizens, whose livelihood and labor have thus been put in peril, bear with fortitude and patience the hardships with which they have been so suddenly confronted.

"Stand behind the Government, who are doing their part, confident that you will co-operate in the measures they have undertaken to preserve the liberties and privileges of the people on these islands. The laws of England are the people's birthright. The laws are in your keeping. You have made Parliament their guardian. The general strike is a challenge to Parliament and is the road to anarchy and ruin."

GEN. LAKE MAKES PLEA FOR UNITY

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he said. The speaker recalled the history of the organization which had sprung from the convention in Winnipeg. Whatever other differences there were at that meeting, a desire for unity predominated among all who attended.

Some of the organizations represented had no power to act, but had to go back to their different bodies before definite action could be taken. An executive body was named with power to carry on the work. The organization had since been functioning.

The work of organization had been carried along with practically no expense, but with no funds to carry on with the work was necessarily slow.

Headquarters Functioning

The shortage of funds had also the disadvantage of making it impossible to organize fully a headquarters staff at Ottawa. The Canadian Legion, however, was functioning. With the exception of the Army and Navy Veterans, the headquarters of all other organizations had agreed to come in.

The headquarters organization of the G.W.V.A. had been taken over. This had done good work and the T.V.A. headquarters had also been taken over.

There was no really deserving cases requiring the attention of the Pension Commission that were not being looked after. Sir Percy recalled a number of cases that had only lately been dealt with successfully.

A memorandum of recommendations as to pension legislation desired had been placed before the Minister. A court of appeal from the Pension Board was asked for. A reason for this was found in the fact that in England 6,000 appeals out of 10,000 taken to the House of Lords had been allowed.

Provincial Organizations

Saskatchewan and Manitoba had been completely organized in a provincial way and by districts. It was expected that British Columbia would be provincially organized in a few days. Alberta would be formally organized by June 3.

In British Columbia he favored a district organization for Vancouver Island. Nova Scotia would meet on May 18. Ontario had promised to get to work and organize at once. In Quebec an attempt was being made to organize but he had no information as to New Brunswick.

Sir Percy stressed the idea that the local branch must be an important feature. A Dominion branch was to be organized which would be open to every Canadian qualified to join in any part of the world. Provincial branches would be formed also for individual applicants that might be scattered.

Reeve Macnicol, president of the local branch of the League, in introducing the speaker, referred to the situation as it now existed. After years of labor in the interests of unity it looked now, he said, as if their dreams were about to be realized.

The meeting was a large one and at the close of the address of General Lake a hearty vote of thanks was accorded him.

The speaker expressed his thanks for the welcome given him and alluded to the fact that he felt very happy in meeting the first post of the Legion.

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Hanley Trial Expected To End Today at Nelson

NELSON, May 5.—It was alienist against alienist today on the second day of the third trial of Pat Hanley for the murder at Trail last year of Nurse Mildred Neilson.

The defence put in its complete case, which included the testimony of two British Columbia alienists, and the crown in rebuttal placed on the stand a Manitoba alienist.

Address and charge will be made to the jury tomorrow and the case should be given to the jury by the noon adjournment.

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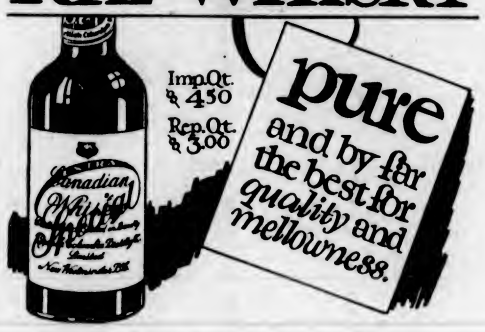

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Vancouver Labor Body Backs British Strike

VANCOUVER, May 5.—Full moral support of the Vancouver Trades and Labor Council was pledged last night to the British Trades Union Congress in the present industrial struggle in England, and a cable to that effect was dispatched. The message declared that the Vancouver body wished the Congress every success and pledged the moral support of the Trades Council.

Wearing a bunch of shamrock in her hat, a woman pleaded that she had taken some rum to keep out the cold, and being practically a teetotaller, she had taken an overdose. "It cured the cold, but upset my memory," she added naively.

Change of E. & N. schedule effective Monday, May 3. The southbound train from Port Alberni to Victoria will leave there every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 10 a.m. instead of every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday as at present. Secure a copy of the latest time table.

SHRINERS' TRIP STARTS TUESDAY

PUBLIC TO JOIN WITH MEMBERS IN PILGRIMAGE TO PRINCE RUPERT

Palatial Steamer Chartered for Excursion—Ceremonial to Be Held on May 13 and 14

The big Shrine pilgrimage to Prince Rupert, where an important ceremonial will take place on Thursday and Friday, May 13 and 14, will leave Victoria on Tuesday morning, and a large number of Shriners and others will participate in this excursion on the palatial steamer Prince Rupert.

An opportunity is being offered the general public of Victoria, Vancouver and Seattle to take part in this expedition to the northern city, one of the most notable events of the year being arranged by Gizeh Temple, which comprises in its territory the whole of British Columbia and the Yukon.

The potentates of many neighboring Shrines are to join in the pilgrimage, among them being the potentates of Nile Temple, Seattle; Afifi Temple, Tacoma, and El Katif Temple, Spokane.

One of the features of the excursion will be the presence on the SS. Prince Rupert of the famous Gizeh Temple Band, under the conductorship of Bandmaster James M. Miller, which will give many concerts during the trip. One of the most important of these will be in Vancouver, where the band will play in the Court House Square on the day of departure for the north.

The steamer will be used during the stay in Prince Rupert as a hotel, the fare including all meals and sleeping arrangements while in the northern centre. Stops will be made at Alert Bay and Ocean Falls during the excursion. Reservations have been made by a large body of Shriners for the trip.

OFFICERS ELECTED BY REALTY BOARD

MR. F. E. WINSLOW, PRESIDENT, EXPRESSES OPTIMISTIC VIEWS FOR YEAR

Retiring Head, Mr. J. C. Bridgman, Reviews Activities of Last Twelve Months

The Real Estate Board at its annual meeting yesterday installed Mr. F. E. Winslow as president for the ensuing year, with Mr. A. R. Wolfenden first vice-president and Major H. Cuthbert Holmes as second vice-president. The executive committee for the year is composed of Messrs. J. H. Gillespie, F. Landsberg, R. H. B. Ker and C. S. Marchant, with Messrs. B. Boggs, A. Carmichael, P. R. Brown, James Forman and J. C. Bridgman as ex-officio members. Messrs. T. J. Goodlake and R. R. Webb were appointed as auditors. The work of the secretary-treasurer, Mr. H. Lethaby, was referred to as most efficient and energetic.

Mr. J. C. Bridgman, retiring president, in reviewing the work of the last year, called attention to the fact that there were now thirty-six active members and twelve associate members in the organization. His report of the last year showed that there had been a good record made in the matter of activities that had received the attention of the members throughout the twelve months.

Outlook Optimistic

In taking the chair the new president, Mr. Winslow, expressed the opinion that they could look with optimism into the year 1926. There had already been a decided turn in matters affecting the real estate business, with every prospect that the situation would materially improve throughout the year. Victoria, he pointed out, was very much in the public eye at the present time.

In referring directly to matters affecting the real estate business Mr. Winslow said he felt there should be something done in the way of concerted action in the collecting of charges incurred by agents in the upkeep of empty premises and also in the matter of making repairs to places. This was not done now in many instances and he considered that the matter should receive attention.

Salesmen as Members

Acting on a notice of motion before the meeting it was decided that the privileges of active membership, with the exception of the right to vote, should be extended to the salesmen in the various offices that carried membership in the board. This membership under the vendors' class will be obtainable on the payment of a small fee. The value of the salesmen to the business was referred to by several of the members of the board, who pointed out that these men were most closely in touch with the situation and their advice would be of great benefit to the board.

Attention was called to a recent decision in the Supreme Court in Vancouver in which it was established that an unlicensed real estate dealer was not able, under the law, to collect a commission for the sale of land. This ruling, it was pointed out, had materially altered the situation.

Past Activities Reviewed

Mr. Bridgman, in his review of the last year's activities, referred to the amendments to the Agents' Licensing Act of the last session, which would give added protection to the public. The act did not yet require the putting up of bonds on the part of the agent, but this might be expected to follow.

The matter of succession duties had been debated in the early part of the year and the abolition of these duties had been pressed upon the Government. While there was little hope of getting this accomplished it was likely that injustices might be wiped out.

The efficiency of the board's valuation committee had been shown by its being called upon from time to time and the revenues from this source should increase. The board was also using interim receipts which had been approved of and as the old stocks were exhausted uniformity in this regard would be attained.

Bad Tenants Referred To

It was pointed out that steps had been taken to keep track of tenants who abused property and who were in other ways unsatisfactory as occupiers of houses. The custom which prevailed in England by which tenants were required to give references from the last landlord or agent was a good one. If it were adopted here there would be less loss to owners and tenants would be properly classified.

A committee is at work on town zoning which, said the speaker, was a commendable thing. The acquisition of the Esquimalt waterworks undertaking by the city was commended as something the future would justify. It was also pointed out that the notaries bill would be likely to come before the House at the next session.

Makes a New Era

Referring to the Victoria auction sale it was stated in the report that this was a notable adventure of the city and must be considered a success. "It marks the small beginning of speculative buying," said the report, "a movement which will be marked in 1927 and increase during the four following years. The time is coming when real estate will once more be a popular form of investment."

Stating that the board had gone on record as favoring the city manager form of city government, Mr. Bridgman said that he would echo the frequent expression which had been voiced as to appreciation of the present Mayor and the work of the Council. "Personally I hope," said the report, "our present Mayor Pendray can be induced to serve us for another term."

The report was adopted and the financial statement for the year was presented and approved.

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Sweet Peas Grow All Winter Long In Island Garden

A BOX of beautiful white sweet peas arrived at The Colonist office yesterday from Florence A. Greenwood, Saseenos, with a note appended saying they were planted in the Spring of 1925, grew and flowered profusely during the Summer and have been growing steadily all the Winter, until on March 24 they were ten feet high and in flower, after having been in bud since March 1. "The vines are now covered with bloom," the note continues, "and show no sign of dying off. They were grown over a porch completely exposed to weather, within a few yards of the sea on the inner harbor at Saseenos, near Sooke. Surely this is an advertisement of the wonderful climate experienced on Vancouver Island!"

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Yates Street Firm of Messrs. Pickard & Tuck Sells to Pioneer Business House for $100,000

For the sum of $100,000, Messrs. David Spencer, Ltd., have acquired the stock of Messrs. Pickard & Tuck, Yates Street, better known to the shopping public as Gordon's, Ltd.

Beginning on Monday, Spencer's Ltd., will dispose of the goods acquired in this big purchase, the stock to be transferred from the Yates Street store to Messrs. Spencer's own premises, to be sold there.

This is one of the biggest commercial transactions which has taken place in the city for some time. The closing of Gordon's, Ltd., removes one of the leading business houses of the city which opened here about twelve years ago. It underwent several changes of management of ownership, the last to acquire it being Messrs. Pickard & Tuck, who in turn, after negotiations extending over several weeks, have disposed of the stock to Messrs. Spencer's. The Yates Street store closed its doors about a week ago, but no announcement was made pending the completion of stock-taking.

CANADIAN LABORITES THANKED FOR SUPPORT

British Workers Circulate Dominion Message Throughout Country —Attitude Appreciated

LONDON, May 5.—The council of the Trades Union Congress today expressed its cordial appreciation of the statement issued yesterday by the headquarters of the Canadian Trades and Labor Congress which expressed full agreement with the principles of the British workers and promised them full support. The statement is being circulated throughout the country.

Volunteers for all kinds of employment, but notably transport, messenger and clerical work, are continually arriving.

The Government's publication, The British Gazette, and the miniature editions of those other papers managing to issue them are being snapped up as soon as they appear on the streets.

DISEASE RESEARCH BUREAU IS ASKED

Game Experts Request Federal Government to Create Department to Study Ills of Wild Animals

Request that the Federal Government organize a bureau of research to study the problems of diseases amongst wild animals was made by the National Game Conference held in Ottawa recently, according to an announcement of Mr. M. B. Jackson, K.C., chairman of the Game Conservation Board, who has returned to the city after attending the gathering at the Dominion capital.

Mr. Jackson said that the delegates at the convention had with one accord denounced the crow as one of the greatest menaces to bird life, while endorsing the campaign being waged by the B.C. Game Board on that species of bird.

Many of the subjects dealt with at the convention were of vital concern to this Province, Mr. Jackson said. He named the following as the main subjects considered at the conference: The dangers of importation of foreign and possibly unsuitable birds; the international problem of control and release of crude oil on tidal waters, which causes the destruction of countless thousands of waterfowl annually; the establishment of bird sanctuaries in northern waters; customs regulations covering the export of deer hides and game; regulations and conditions governing fur farming, especially of water animals; the restriction of the trapping of fur-bearing animals to seasons when their pelts are of maximum quality and value; the control of wolf and coyote pests; the question of permitting certain trapping rights in large game reserves, with a view to controlling the increase of noxious species which otherwise would increase unduly through the protection accorded them by the sanctuary. All these subjects will be studied by game experts during the coming year.

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Forest Expert Dead

LETHBRIDGE, May 5.—A special to The Herald from Macleod, says that "Archie" Mitchell, aged sixty-eight, well-known forestry expert, died last night at Penticton, B. C., following three months' illness, from kidney trouble. Mr. Mitchell, who came to Macleod from Scotland in 1882, was widely known over the prairies, having travelled with the Dominion Forestry Branch tree-planting car for a number of years. The funeral will be held Thursday, at Oliver, B. C.

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Consternation Caused By Death of Five From Alleged Poison Liquor

QUEBEC, May 5.—Five men residing in Levis, on the St. Lawrence River opposite here, are dead as the result of alcoholic poisoning. An inquest is being conducted. The men are said to have imbibed poisonous liquor last evening. The quintette of deaths has caused a great deal of consternation in the city and district. The dead: J. Bernier, E. G. Gagnon, P. Gagne, F. Poliquin and A. Poliquin. Ill, J. Bourget, Rene Drolet and Jos. Hanson.

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Thursday, May 6, 1926

THE SALES TAX

Mr. H. K. S. Hemming writing in the eastern press draws attention to the manner in which the sales tax is being evaded in the country. He asks why it was now lowered or abolished in the latest Budget since it is "unfair, cumbersome and complicated, weighs heavily on the poor, is expensive to collect and is anti-Canadian." Businessmen, he says, see no moral harm in evading its provisions. There are hundreds of ways of doing so. One is that as an inducement to a sale on a cash basis the tax is eliminated by the selling firm. In other words, neither debit nor crdit is entered in the books and no invoice is rendered. The money received is used in making other purchases often upon a similar basis.

Mr. Hemming points out that many buyers refuse to pay the tax and deduct it when remitting. The five per cent is written off by the selling firm rather than causing a quarrel with customers. All the printers of Ottawa and several Montreal printers, according to Mr. Hemming, refuse to pay the tax at all and bluntly tell the Government to commence law proceedings, and he says this condition has been going on for a couple of years or more and the Government shows no disposition to test the validity of its claims. Mr. Hemming points out that in one instance the Government did start suit against a small printer, but, on the larger printers declaring they would make it a test case, the Government withdrew its action.

The sales tax of course adds to the cost of the goods for daily consumption. It is not true that the five per cent tax is only added to the retail price. In that event the consumer would only pay the five per cent. It is added to the cost of the article at the first stage of its commercial progress and the necessary gross profit is added each time that a sale is made, first by the manufacturer, then by the wholesaler and finally by the retailer. This pyramiding of the tax, says Mr. Hemming, varies according to the rates of gross profit added to different lines of merchandise. "If," says Mr. Hemming, "every time that a retail purchase of a $5 or a $10 article of clothing, furniture, etc., were made a written demand were mailed to Mr. Robb asking for a $1 or a $2 tax rebate, the Finance Department at Ottawa would cease to function, for the letters would fill its offices to the ceiling." He also alludes to the whole army of expensive inspectors to oversee this huge and complicated tax-collecting machine, and to the fact that, as usual, the grain growers have been specially favored by having certain articles, such as agricultural implements, exempted from the tax.

RUSSO-GERMAN TREATY

A Russo-German Treaty has followed hard upon the heels of the postponement of Germany's inclusion as a member of the League of Nations and the consequent holding up of the putting into effect of the provisions of the Locarno Pact. The exact terms of the new Treaty seem to be unknown, or, at least, there are some of them which have not been made public. Officially, Germany claims that the Treaty is complementary to and not in any way at variance with the Pact of Locarno or the German undertaking with regard to the League of Nations involved by it. What is certain, however, is that the aim of the German Government is to create a situation in Eastern Europe similar to that created by the Locarno Pact in Western Europe.

The point of interest to the Western Powers and to the world at large is how far the new Treaty is reconcileable with that made at Locarno. It is made by Germany with a Power which is opposed to the Locarno Treaty and with a Power which is an avowed antagonist of the League of Nations. One comment on the situation is that Germany, in the process of forming a network of treaties, "is slipping back into the situation which obtained before the war, when agreements involving absolutely conflicting undertakings were entered into with the worst possible results."

It is significant that concurrently with the negotiations for a Soviet-German supplement to the Rapallo Treaty, as the new agreement is termed, the Soviet Government is also developing plans for an understanding with Poland and the Baltic States. These plans treat Poland separately and the other Baltic States as an entity, but Poland is anxious to arrange a general conference of all five states (the others are Lithuania, Latvia, Estonia and Finland) in order to conclude treaties of neutrality and non-aggression. The Soviet-Baltic negotiations are part and parcel of a scheme for some kind of treaty consolidation in Eastern Europe which will serve as a counterblast to the Locarno Pact. Poland, however, is governed by the Locarno Treaty and Germany's attitude in having negotiated a new Soviet-German agreement will doubtless be a subject of considerable discussion before that Power is admitted to the League of Nations.

"THE PET COUGAR"

The most, and in some cases the very worst, publicity has been given to the recent incident here where a cougar was shot down by a policeman near the Public Library. Our own citizens know that the beast was to all intenta and purposes a tame one: indeed, it is believed to have been the pet of a resident in the vicinity. In its visit to the city the only disposition it showed was fear, yet the following appeared in a Pasedena newspaper under a Victoria date line, and no doubt elsewhere throughout the press of California and on the American side generally: "Pandemonium prevailed in the business district today while a ferocious panther ran about with its tail lashing and teeth showing. The beast roamed in from the Malahat district through the Saanich municipality, terrifying pedestrians and causing women and children to faint. Provincial police gave chase for blocks. The frenzied throngs made the panther even more savage. Finally Police Constable Strong, on a motorcycle, cornered the beast in an alley leading to the basement of the Public Library, where he shot and killed it."

That sort of publicity, teeming with inaccuracies as it is, is harmful to Victoria for it may have the tendency to keep tourists from coming here. The incident as all local residents know, happened before 5 a.m., when there was not a corporal's guard of people on the streets. The panther, as the dispatch sent to the Pasedena paper calls the beast, was not ferocious but an extremely frightened animal, which in every probability would not have harmed a kitten. The imagination of the reporter who made out that the shooting occurred in the midst of frenzied throngs of people deserves to be exercised in a more veracious cause. Such publicity would be simply ludicrous were it not for the harmful results which may ensue. It should be the duty of the Publicity League, in the interests of the tourist campaign, to do what it can to offset an impression that has been created, and one that is wholly false.

A TEMPERATE VIEWPOINT

Mr. Frank Hodges is one of the miners' leaders in Britain, but it is fairly clear that his viewpoint did not prevail in the negotiations with the Government which broke down and led to the present strike. As the situation develops there are reasons for a growing belief that some of the wilder spirits in the Labor movement have been responsible, to a degree at least, for the present industrial crisis which is the gravest in the history of the country. Mr. Hodges has always been temperate in his attitude and a speech of his delivered a few weeks before May 1 is very much to the point. Had its dictates been followed there would be no strike today. Mr. Hodges said then:

I am convinced that we can get through even now, particularly if the right spirit is adopted. If the men who are responsible for the conduct of the negeotiations will only care to assimilate the harsh economic facts of the industry and will see that by some self-sacrifice here and now, there is a way to prosperity, then we shall go through this difficulty quite smoothly, in my judgment, and the way to prosperity will be paved. Every one of the Commission's recommendations breathes the possibility of prosperity, and it must be our clear duty not to wreck the industry now at this critical period so long as there is the possibility of prosperity looming up before us in the future."

The Washington Post says: "Nothing indicates that Mussolini is 'drunk with power' or 'war mad,' as his American critics have alleged. He has been prudent in the economic field and has established economies which would do credit to Calvin Coolidge. His administration has been strikingly successful in encouraging Italy to return to work and production. He has designs upon the African desert constituting the hinterland of Tripoli, but these designs are exactly similar to those of Western Americans who build irrigation systems and reclaim arid lands. In this work Mussolini is deserving of high praise. The creation of productive areas in the African desert will offer an outet for all the energy that Mussolini and his countrymen can command."

British Delegate Leaves Chinese Customs Meeting

PEKING, May 5—Sir Sidney Peel, British delegate to the tariff conference, is leaving for home, his departure constituting the first break in the conference ranks. British circles ascribe his departure as due to the pressure of personal affairs, but in view of the unfinished state of the work of the conference, the departure is regarded as seriously jeopardising the chances for mutual agreement by the powers on a concrete proposal as to interim taxes for submission to the Chinese which the American delegation hopes to accomplish before adjournment.

Wealthy Indians

In 1923 there were 28,940,234 barrels of oil produced on lands of the Osage Nation Indians. Of the value of this, $11,700 per capita was distributed to them from royalties and bonuses. This tribe alone has received more than $111,863,530 from their oil. The Osage Nation is but one of the five civilized tribes of Oklahoma that number in all 103,200 in number.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

Fifty or sixty years ago the big and little interests of the world were not as highly organized as they are today, and the business, industrial and labor conditions in the world were not nearly so complex as they are today. There were few organizations of any consequence in Great Britain, Canada and the United States, except a few political organizations, which were organized for electioneering purposes, and generally disorganized immediately after the elections.

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Within the past few years organization has been going along at a tremendous pace, at a faster pace in Great Britain than in any other part of the world. Fifty or sixty years ago there were few labor organizations in Great Britain. The few labor organizations of those far off days wielded no political power worthy of serious consideration, and had no great influence in improving the conditions of the working classes. Today organized labor in Great Britain is the second political power in the land, actually has sat in the seats once reserved exclusively for the governing classes, and hopes to be reinstated in power as a result of the general strike that has been proclaimed by the militant labor leaders.

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The ostensible reason for the general strike is a living wage and reasonable material comfort for the coal miners. The public has been told that that is the real object of the first great conflict between highly organized labor and the more or less disorganized forces represented by the Government. Probably a majority of the people affiliated with the labor forces and the masses of the people who are not affiliated with any organization believe that the battle is being waged on behalf of the coal miners. But Mr. A. J. Cook, representative of the coal miners, declares that the strife is political, that within a few weeks the Baldwin Conservative Government will be defeated in the House of Commons, a general election will be held, and a Labor Government of extreme views will succeed the Conservative Government of moderate views.

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Mr. Cook is an extremely militant person, and does not believe in mincing matters or hiding his light under a bushel. In the present instance it is possible that the Red Labor Leader has been somewhat indiscreet. We suspect that the Moderate Labor Leaders will not approve of his bold statement. Those leaders have always declared that they are on the side of the constituted authorities. They have frequently expressed confidence in the ultimate triumph of the Labor Party and its return to power with a majority behind it in the House of Commons; but they have never suggested that victory was to be achieved by force—by strangling and starving the electorate into submission.

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Nor is there any doubt about the sincerity of the moderate and recognized Labor leaders. They are able and far-seeing men. They have lived long enough in Britain to be in a position to compare the spiritual, intellectual and material conditions of the working classes today with the general conditions of those classes a quarter of a century ago. They realize that the improved conditions today are largely due to organization, and they will deplore any precipitate action that may have the effect of creating an organization much more powerful than any sectional organization ever can hope to be—an organization of the masses of the people for the purpose of defending their political and social liberties.

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Doubtless many philosophical persons who have watched the general trend of human events have wondered what would happen in the world after labor, business and industry had been thoroughly and effectively organized. The process of organization has been proceeding very rapidly for about a quarter of a century. There are a few venerable organizations in the world, of course, but most of those old institutions are maintained for purely sentimental reasons. Fifty or sixty years ago there were very few labor organizations on the continent of America; and none of them ever dreamt of becoming a great political power. The Printers' Union was the chief of those organizations, and is a model at the present day for a majority of the trades unions.

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Today organization is general in almost every profession, business and trade. Many of the organizations have gone to the parliaments and legislatures and secured legal acknowledgement of their existence and aims. Some of them have had their status raised from a low estate to a high estate, or at least to a high-sounding estate, by legislative enactment. In some cases individual liberties have been assailed by ambitious organizations, and the courts have sustained such encroachments.

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We have often pondered over those movements and developments and wondered "what the world was coming to." The general strike in Great Britain and the statement of the object of that general strike by Mr. A. J. Cook indicate what a very important part of the world has come to as a result of very complex organization. A few weeks ago the same Mr. A. J. Cook publicly declared that he was prepared to "shoulder his gun" when the organized forces of Labor went forth to battle. We suspect that Mr. Cook is not on very familiar terms with firearms, that his statement was merely a figure of speech, and that he will have few opportunities for dalliance with deadly weapons during the struggle between the forces of order and the forces of anarchy.

3-Minute Journeys

By TEMPLE MANNING

Where Confetti Battles Mark the Mardi Gras

It was the Italians who started the use of confetti at carnival times. And their confetti was by no means the gentle shower of paper pellets that we know by that name. They were hard lime pellets and their impact with one's face and one's anatomy was by no means pleasant. Sometimes the sting was relieved by a wrapper of paper around the lime. But usually even that solace was missing.

When the French took over the custom, they made it a gentler and more pleasant affair. Their confetti was made of bits of paper which could cause no pain. And the paper was of many colors so that the falling shower resembled somewhat a strange rainbow.

The custom of throwing confetti on carnival days involves the gaiest and merriest of moods. Nobody can be sulky or grouchy with carnival mood in the air. And if you think you can retain your dignity while pounds of confetti are hurled in your face merrily, you should try the experience.

The big feature of the Mardi Gras at Paris is the parade. But when the parade is over the fun begins. Then the confetti battle begins. From the balconies overlooking the streets comes a great snowstorm of what looks like multi-colored snow. The streets are covered with deep layers of it before the day is over. Sometimes the confetti lies five inches deep in the streets.

And down below, where the crowd surges back and forth dozens of sham battles are taking place. A young girl, passing casually by, suddenly chokes over a pound or so of confetti thrown squarely in her face. She looks up to find the offender, but everybody looks very innocent. She looks more closely and detects a fleeting grin on the face of a man.

Immediately she reciprocates in kind and the battle is on. Back and forth the bits of colored paper fly with sure aim until one of them confesses himself vanquished, or until their supply of confetti has given out. Then one must buy more confetti and continue on one's way until the small hours of the night proclaim an end to Mardi Gras.

Notable Anniversaries

The recent revival of the ancient idea that baser metals may be transmuted into gold recalls the story of Dr. James Price, an English physician, distinguished amateur chemist and Fellow of the Royal Society. Price imagined that he had succeeded in compounding a powder capable, in certain circumstances, of converting mercury and other inferior metals into gold and silver, and after some hesitation he decided to make his discovery public. On May 6, 1782, he commenced a series of experiments in his private laboratory at Guildford in the presence of a number of scientists, men of high rank and others of good reputation, most of whom were convinced of the genuineness of his discovery. The gold and silver which he appeared to produce from mercury withstood the assayer's tests. Samples of gold were presented to King George III, who graciously accepted them; Oxford University bestowed on Price the degree of M.D., and his book, containing an account of the experiments, ran through two editions in the course of a few months. In order to settle the controversy that followed, the Royal Society, of which Price was a Fellow, called on him to produce satisfactory proof. At first he refused, on the plea that his process was too expensive to produce gold on a commercial scale, but he finally consented, and invited members of the Royal Society to witness his experiments. Three of them accepted, but, in their presence, instead of proceeding with his experiments, he swallowed a dose of laurel water, a virulent poison, which he had prepared in advance, and died in a few moments. It was charitably supposed that Price had first deceived himself and then attempted to deceive others, either wilfully or in ignorance. At all events, the idea of transmutation was discredited, and remained in obscurity until the past year or two.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., May 6, 1926.

TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	42	54
Vancouver	42	50
Kamloops	42	64
Barkerville	32	44
Prince Rupert	40	50
Estevan	42	56
Atlin	30	48
Calgary, Alta	38	60
Winnipeg, Man.	50	68
Portland, Ore.	44	54
San Francisco, Cal.	48	54
Seattle	44	54
Spokane	42	58
Penticton	34	62
Vernon	34	62
Grand Forks	38	62
Nelson	40	58
Kaslo	48	56
Cranbrook	38	58
Edmonton	44	62
Prince Albert	32	66
Swift Current	32	66
Qu'Appelle	30	72

FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and warmer.

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WEDNESDAY

Maximum	61
Minimum	42
Average	49
Minimum on the grass	34

Bright sunshine, 7 hours, 18 minutes.
Rain, .27 inch.
General state of the weather, fair.

5 P.M. Weather Reports

Victoria—Barometer, 29.81; wind, S., 6 miles; fair.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.86; wind, S.E., 4 miles; fair.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.64; wind, E., 4 miles; fair.

Barkerville — Barometer, 28.64; calm; rain, .58 inch; cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.66; wind, S.E., 14 miles; fair.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 29.74; wind, S.E., 6 miles; cloudy.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.78; wind, S., 14 miles; cloudy.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 29.82; wind, N.W., 6 miles; raining.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.80; wind, S.W., 22 miles; clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.86; wind, W., 28 miles; cloudy.

A Mormon was once trying to convince Mark Twain that polygamy was moral. "At any rate," he said, "you can't quote any passage in the Bible that forbids the practice." How about that passage that tells us no man can serve two masters?" said Mark Twain.

BIG CONCLAVE HELD BY ELKS

MEMBERS OF FIVE ISLAND B.P.O.E. LODGES ATTEND FETE AT NANAIMO

Party of Twenty-Five Victorians Participate in Event—New Members Initiated

A big conclave of members of the various Benevolent Protective Order of Elks lodges took place last night at Nanaimo, about twenty-five Victoria Elks motoring to this up-Island centre yesterday afternoon to participate in the festivities in the evening.

This fete was the first occasion on which the members of the five Island Elk lodges, namely, Victoria, Duncan, Nanaimo, Alberni and Courtenay had a joint gathering, and the several hundred Elks who attended voted the meeting a great success.

Following a banquet, a lodge session was conducted, in which a number of Nanaimo men were initiated into the order. The initiation rites were directed by the officers of Victoria Lodge, No. 2, and local drill team of twelve members. The gathering concluded with a smoker and entertainment.

Members of the Victoria Lodge who motored yesterday afternoon, and returned as an early hour this morning included the following: Exalted Ruler Walter Lorimer, Secretary Bert Best, and Brothers Wallace Munkley, Jimmy Stewart, Jack W. Gillis, Dick Metters, Dave Croston, Ernie Stock, Alex. Peden, Dick Chungranes, Ernie Ruttan, S. Shrimpton, Frank Sommer, Bill Knowles, Victor Ireland, Tommy Grant, Sid Brasier, Bob Marshall, Andy Anderson, Ernie Sanders, Norman Harris, Arthur McCoy, Hy. Green, Reg. Lott, Doug. Gregson and A. G. Brook.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

A Community Hall

Sir,—I see by your edition of the fourth instant, that the Liberal Party of Ward VII, Saanich, are planning to call a mass meeting regarding a community hall in our district. Whilst this is a great need of our community, yet for any political party to take upon itself to sponsor the movement would be fatal.

It is noticeable that the successful community halls in Saanich of which there are several, are all divorced from politics, as far as getting the building started and running their affairs. The only place where politics can creep in is when the hall is rented to a political party for the evening, but this is applicable to all or any party.

The Conservatives and Labor people have as much interest as the Liberals in this, but if the sponsors of the movement are deliberately drawing party lines, it means that many good citizens will abstain from its support, which would be a very great pity.

J. P. HIBBEN.

266 Gorge Road West, Victoria, B.C., May 4, 1926.

Royal Athletic Park

Sir,—In common with many other citizens and sportsmen of our fair city, I followed the proceedings of our Council last Monday evening regarding the Royal Athletic Park, and the stand taken by the baseball managers in connection with the manner that this playing park has been so shamefully mishandled and so foolishly laid out. To expect any self-respecting manager to order his team to play in a match across that field is ridiculous, no matter where the home plate is placed. The game could be nothing but farcical.

The revenue from the baseball games would more than pay for the removal of the present mismamed grandstand. If this so-called grandstand is any criterion of our Council, or of the manner in which they conduct the public business, then God pity the public!

I trust that the baseball men may not weaken in the stand they have taken; otherwise they may expect to lose the support of the public, who are now behind them.

I sincerely hope, in common with the majority of our citizens and sportsmen, that the Council may change their attitude in respect to the Royal Athletic Park, and proceed at once to change that grandstand and give to our people a playground that everybody may feel proud of, and be able to point with just pride to Victoria's Royal Athletic Park.

LEONARD TAIT.

1611 Fell Street, Victoria, B.C., May 5, 1926.

Church Union Statistics

Sir,—The inputations made in Dr. R. J. Wilson's letter, published in today's Colonist, are too serious to be allowed to pass unnoticed.

1. I am accused of "confusing the United Church with the property of the United Church." Whatever my mental limitations are, I never expressed a notion, nor assumed an attitude, so ridiculous as that; nor have I, as have the unionists of the Presbyterian Church, confused the Presbyterian Church with its officialdom, its ministers, its courts or even its General Assembly, which is merely a committee consisting of one-sixth of its members and an equal number of its elders, meeting once a year "to preserve the unity of the church and advance the Kingdom of Christ through the world." The Presbyterian Church is not an aggregation of property, though of necessity it holds and administers property. It is not a coterie of officials, nor a hierarchy, but is made up of all its communicant members together with their children.

In regard to the Presbyterian Church, what were "the expectations" of those who submerged every other consideration in an effort to consummate organic union? Did they expect that one-third of the membership of the Presbyterian Church would decline to enter the new church? Did they expect that a large proportion of the property, which, of course, is not to be confused with the church, including the two leading colleges, would not become part of the property of the United Church? If they did not include these in their expectations their efforts and arguments have been strangely at variance with their expectations. It is impossible for one to trace the workings of another's mind, but to me it is frankly incredible that the unionists did not expect to carry with them a very much larger proportion of our membership and a very much larger share of our property. The number of Presbyterians voting against the union, and the failure to secure coveted property were a surprise and a disappointment to our unionist friends, perhaps only the beginning of disappointment, and all their expectations have not been justified.

2. I am charged with making a grave misstatement when I state "that more votes were cast for union in the recent vote than against union." If I had made that statement I would have been guilty of a "grave misstatement," for, as Dr. Wilson immediately declares, "that statement is not a fact." I rather think, sir, that Dr. Wilson's zeal has got the better of his pen at this point and that he meant to charge me with making the very opposite statement, namely, that more votes were cast against union in the recent vote than in favor of union. That is what I actually did say and which I now repeat. A sentence from the letter which is so hotly attacked is as follows: "The actual numbers registered in that vote, according to the last advice, are: In favor of union, 113,773; against union, 114,367." If these figures are not correct, surely Dr. Wilson, with all the resources of the Bureau of Information at his command, should be able to present to the public what he has found to be the result of that vote. I have yet no reason for withdrawing or modifying my former statement regarding that vote, that "if only thirty per cent voted against entering the United Church, a still smaller percentage voted in favor of that step."

Dr. Wilson objects to my use of the word "ordered" in connection with the recent vote to Parliamentary action. A milder term might have been used. The vote had the same Parliamentary sanction and authority as the amalgamation or merger of the different churches, no more and no less.

3. Again it is charged that my "statement of figures of the vote for and against union in congregations where a vote was taken is entirely inaccurate for both union and anti (sic) congregations." That is a rather serious accusation. In the letter to which exception is taken the figures given were the latest advices that had come to me. I have yet no reason for changing them. The Bureau of Information of the United Church, with Dr. Wilson as its mouthpiece, charges me with misstatement, but fails to disprove my figures. In spite of bluster, camouflage and grave charges of "misstatement," I repeat the figures of the recent vote in the Presbyterian Church taken under the Church Union Act: In favor of union, 113,773; against union, 114,367. If the figures are not acceptable to unionists will they please indicate wherein they err?

When all expectations have been justified, where is the occasion for sorrow? Dr. Wilson illogically confesses to this Christian virtue arising from the fact that "784 congregations and a few hundred ministers" declined to enter the merger. Perhaps that sorrow will be assuaged, perhaps it will be intensified, when in a few weeks it will be disclosed how far those hundreds of congregations and ministers that last June were definitely committed to the maintenance of the Presbyterian Church in Canada have increased in number and strength.

In the last paragraph of Dr. Wilson's letter there is a revival of the familiar cry of the past that "the old church has entered union without loss of its identity." How many of the readers of The Colonist perceive today the identity of the Bank of British Columbia? Yet, not so many years ago it was a force to be reckoned with, a great power in the financial life of the city and Province and over a still greater area. It has passed out of our business life. How? Through a merger with another financial institution. And but for those with whom I am pleased to stand, the Presbyterian Church in Canada would, in a short time, become as feeble in the religious life of the Dominion as the Bank of British Columbia is in the financial life today—only a memory of a glory departed. The efforts of disappointed unionists to fasten upon us belittling or contemptuous epithets do not seriously distress me.

I am glad, Mr. Editor, to be able to conclude this already too lengthy letter by assuring Dr. Wilson that on one point at least his desires will be met, and that he will not be allowed to rest in the fact of obvious misstatements of facts."

W. LESLIE CLAY.

St. Andrew's Church, Victoria, B. C., May 5, 1926.

TO A WILD ROSE
(Found Blooming on Mayday)

Thou sweet wild rose! serenest gem
Of tender roseate hue;
Queen of May-morn thou truly art—
Thou chrismal font of dew!

A thousand tender Springtide thoughts
Come homing back to me;
And fain am I forthwith to share
My memories with thee.

Floods for the nonce my soul with bliss:
Recalled those happy hours
When childhood's fairy fancies were
Encompassed by thy bowers.

Fled from my Ken aught else beyond—
The long enduring years—
Assuaged anon, lo! whatso'er
Of tumult and of tears.

Knee-deep in Camas, once again!
King-cups of purest gold
Come crowding round about my feet:
Youth's dear delights twice-told.

And all the while thou wilding rose,
The darling of mine eyes,
Doth bid me as I gaze on thee,
Thy grace immortalize.

Therefore it is, that henceforth thou
Art evermore, May Queen:
Thy fragrance, 'tis beyond compare—
Thou—peerless and serene!

—Jeanne Valdez.

Victoria, B.C., May 1, 1926.

GOVERNMENT CLOSES ISLAND COAL MINE

Portion of Granby Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company's Plant at Cassidy to Be Shut Down

Permanent closing of a large section of the Granby Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company's coal mine at Cassidy, Vancouver Island, because of the danger of a recurrence of blow-outs, was ordered yesterday by Hon. William Sloan, Minister of Mines.

All coal already mined in the area of the mine affected will be removed by the company, but no further mining will be permitted in that area.

Conditions in the affected section of the mine are said to be unique. Inquiries by officials of the Mines Department here in all the important coal fields in the world have failed to reveal a parallel case. No method of successfully controlling blow-outs, or small explosions of gas, had been found as yet, officials said yesterday.

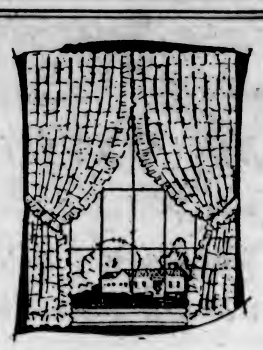
FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of May 6, 1876)

The steamer Enterprise left at 7 a.m. for New Westminster with about forty passengers, amongst whom were Miss Pingley, Capt. Irving and Messrs. F. J. Barcard, U. Nelson, Warren, Wardle, and Mr. and Mrs. Mason. She took up a heavy freight, the mails and express.

Cricket Match at Beacon Hill Today—Married vs. Single. Single eleven: Sir M. B. Begbie, J. R. Mathews, W. Bennett, A. Maxwell, E. Mohun, A. James, Capt. Layton, J. Webb, W. Cinder, A. Brodie and A. Rome.

At a recent meeting of a society of Hibernians a member made the following motion: "Mr. President, I move yez whitewash the ceiling green in honor of the auld flag."



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SURVIVES FALL OVER NIAGARA'S CLIFFS

Lad Slips From Pathway and Plunges Fifty Feet—Saved by Bushes From 100-Foot Drop

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., May 5.—Falling fifty feet into the Niagara Gorge today, William Lyle, sixteen, of this city, escaped death by a miracle. Lyle was walking along a pathway at the top of the bank when he slipped and plunged over the cliff.

He took a sheer drop of more than fifty feet and then struck some shrubs which broke his fall and prevented him from rolling the rest of the more than 150 feet to the river's edge.

Lyle was brought to the top of the bank by rescuers and taken to a hospital where it was said that he was badly bruised and shocked. No bones are believed to have been broken.

EX-SERVICE MEN ARE TO MEET LORD BYNG

Presentation of Cougar Skin Will Be Made to His Excellency on His Visit Here Next Week

The ex-service men of the city will have the opportunity of meeting His Excellency Lord Byng, Governor-General of Canada, on the visit of the latter to Victoria. This was announced by General Sir Percy Lake last evening at the meeting he addressed of the Canadian Legion.

Sir Percy said that the ex-service men would be assembled at the post-office at 4:30 on Saturday afternoon, May 15, preparatory to the presentation to His Excellency at the grounds of the Legislative Buildings of a cougar skin as a memento from Canadians who had served with him in the war.

It was hoped that each of them might have the opportunity of shaking hands with his Excellency.

Obituary

BARKER—The funeral service for the late Mrs. Emily Kipling Barker took place yesterday afternoon from the Sands Funeral Chapel at 3:30. There was a large gathering of friends and relatives, and the floral tributes were many and beautiful. The Rev. Dr. Clem Davies officiated at the chapel, and the services at the graveside were conducted by the Rev. H. T. Archbold. The hymns sung were, "Rock of Ages," and "Nearer, My God, to Thee." Mrs. F. Beach sang a solo, entitled, "Twilight." Messrs. D. F. Campbell, A. Crogan, J. Savident, J. T. Taylor, G. W. Mitchell, and H. R. Savage acted as pallbearers, and the body was laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery.

PORTER—The body of the late William Lawrence Porter was forwarded to Seattle yesterday afternoon by the Sands Funeral Co., where cremation will take place and the ashes will be forwarded to Honolulu for interment.

HUNT—There passed away after a long illness on Tuesday, Mrs. Emily Honor Hunt, wife of Mr. Alfred E. Hunt, of Woodlawns, Cedar Hill. She leaves, besides her husband, one son, Wilfred; her mother, Mrs. Wm. Gregory-Allen, of 1743 Pembroke Street; four brothers and three sisters, Mrs. Canon Haziehurst, Misses M. A. and L. Gregory-Allen. The body is resting at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, and funeral arrangements will be announced later.

FOWLER—Funeral service for the late Mrs. Emily Allen Fowler was held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel by the Rev. A. de B. Owen. There was a large attendance of friends, and many beautiful floral offerings covered the casket. The hymns sung were: "Lead, Kindly Light" and "Peace, Perfect Peace." The following gentlemen acted as pallbearers: Messrs. J. Hunter, R. Fuller, W. H. Kettle, J. C. McNeill, W. A. Kettle and H. N. Howard. The body was laid to rest in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

GREEN—The funeral of the late James Green, of 1559 Oak Bay Avenue, who passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Saturday, took place yesterday afternoon from the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home, 980 Quadra Street. Relatives and a large gathering of friends were in attendance and Dean Quainton conducted a very impressive service, during which the hymn "Lead, Kindly Light" was sung. The following gentlemen acted as pall bearers: Messrs. W. H. Gibson, B. Warren, A. E. Evans, J. E. Huxtable, Hyde, and J. R. Colliston. Interment was made in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

UNIVERSITY OF B.C. PASS LIST ISSUED

WM. CHALMERS, OF VANCOUVER, CARRIES OFF GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S MEDAL

Two Hundred Students to Get Degrees at Graduation Exercises Today—Many Failures

VANCOUVER, May 5.—Results of the University of British Columbia examinations were announced today after having been approved by the Senate.

Graduation exercises will be held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 when the degree winners will receive their diplomas and other prize winners will receive their awards. President Norman C. Coleman, of Reed College, Portland, will deliver the convocation address and Chancellor R. E. McKechnie will preside.

Wins Highest Honor

William Chalmers, Vancouver, won the highest honor open to undergraduates, the Governor-General's gold medal for the student standing at the head of the graduating class in the faculty of arts and science. Chalmers has passed with first class honors and won the scholarships each year.

Miss Marion Mitchell, who won the Historical Society gold medal, the second most coveted honor for the graduating class, also won the Native Sons of Canada $350 prize for a thesis on Canadian history.

George F. Davidson, who headed the list in second year arts, won three scholarships but two passed to others by reversion.

200 Get Degrees

More than 200 students, a record number, will receive degrees from the university this year.

Two hundred and nineteen students will graduate, sixteen receiving their M.A. degrees and four their M.A. Sc. Fifty-four students won their B.A. with honors, while 123 won their B.A. in the ordinary pass list. Eigthy-four students of applied science will receive their B.A. Sc. degree.

Three young women will be capped as B.A. Sc. in nursing while nine will receive their B.S.A., completing their four years in agriculture.

That the university is anxious to maintain the high standard for which it has become famous is reflected in the fact that 108 first-year students failed entirely. Ninety-eight students of the same year were passed with supplementals.

The main awards to be made follow:

Given M.A. Degree

The degree of Master of Arts will be conferred on:

Gilbert B. Carpenter, B.A., major chemistry, minor mathematics and physics.

N. F. Gordon Davis, B.A., major geology, minor zoology.

Walter H. Gage, B.A., major mathematics, minor physics.

Earl B. Gillanders, B.A., major geology, minor zoology and paleontology.

Janet T. Greig, B.A., major French, minor English.

Gertrude Joyce Hallamore, B.A., major German, minor English.

George H. Hamilton, B.A., major philosophy, minor sociology.

Helen M. Mathews, B.A., major bacteriology, minor education.

Louise D. Morrison, B.A., major French, minor German.

Thomas H. Nuttall, B.A., major philosophy, minor English.

Peter F. Palmer, B.A., major English, minor economics.

Isabel M. Russell, B.A., major French, minor education.

Gertrude M. Smith, B.A., major zoology, minor botany.

Ernest G. B. Stevens, B.A., major history, minor economics.

Evelyn S. Story, B.A., major history, minor sociology.

Lillian A. Williamson, B.A., major English, minor French.

Nichol Scholarship

The Nichol Scholarship, donated by the former Lieutenant - Governor, which is the biggest financial prize, goes to Miss Dorothy Dallas, Vancouver, who has been for two years instructor in French at the University. She graduated in 1924.

It is a three-year scholarship with an annual value of $1,200 and is available for study in France.

Miss Dallas graduated from the Sacred Heart Convent here with first class honors and a gold medal in French, and from there entered the second year of the University. She won her master's degree last year. At present she is in New York and will receive by wire the news of her appointment.

The Nichol Scholarship was instituted last year and was won by Jack L. Huggett, who this year is awarded a continuing Nichol Scholarship.

Faculty of Arts and Science, Fourth year:

1. The Governor-General's gold medal—William Chalmers (head of graduating class in arts).

2. The Historical Society's gold medal—Marion Mitchell (history).

Third year:

1. University Scholarship, $75—Harold D. Smith (general proficiency).

2. University Schloarship, $75—H. R. Lyle Streight (general proficiency).

3. The Arts '19 Scholarship, $150—David C. Warden (standing and character).

4. The Gerald Myles Harvey prize—Books, $50, no award (essays in economics or political science).

Second year:

1. The McGill Graduates Scholarship, $137.50—George F. Davidson (first in English and French).

2. University Scholarship, $75—George F. Davidson, by reversion to Eleanor G. Dyer (general proficiency).

3. University Scholarship, $75—Eleanor G. Dyer and Earland G. Hallonquist, by reversion to F. Abner Poole.

4. The Terminal City Club Memorial Scholarship — $110—Annie Taylor.

5. The Scott Memorial Scholarship, $110—Verna Z. Lucas (first in biology).

6. The Shaw Memorial Scholarship, $137.50—George F. Davidson, by reversion to Earland G. Hallonquist, first in English, Latin and Greek.

First Year

1. Royal Institution Scholarship, $75—Howard G. Nicholson (general proficiency).

2. Royal Institution Scholarship, $75—Joshua J. M. Jacob (general proficiency).

3. Royal Institution Scholarship, $75—H. Muriel Daniels (general proficiency).

4. The Vancouver Women's Conservative Association prize, $25—Alan James Macdonald and David William Macdonald, equal (first in mathematics.

5. P. E. O. Sisterhood Scholarship, $75—Alice M. G. White (first in English).

Faculty of Applied Science for post-graduate studies.

The Dean Brock Scholarship, $100—George W. H. Norman.

Fourth Year

1. The convocation scholarship, $50—Robert H. Baylis (general proficiency).

2. The Walter Moberley Memorial prize—Francis G. A. Tarr Book (25). (Engineering Thesis).

The Dunsmuir Scholarship, $165—Jack D. Shannon (highest in mining engineering).

Second Year

University Scholarship, $75—James Sinclair (general proficiency).

First Year

Royal Institution Scholarship, $75—Alois H. Rudnicki (general proficiency).

Degree of Bachelor of Arts, conferred on: B.A. in Pass Course—names in order of merit. Class 2—Frank Potter, Charles F. Swannell, Marjorie H. Leeming, Franklin O. Plevers, Flora M. Musgrave, May E. Beane, Alyce A. W. Baines, Mary Gareache. Passed—Jean W. Macrae, Marion I. Hullock-Webster.

First Year—Vancouver Women's Canadian Club Scholarship, nursing, award pending.

Public health nursing:

Provincial Board of Health Prize, $35—Margaret E. Kerr.

Provincial Board of Health Prize, $34—Florence Innes.

Provincial Board of Health Prize, $30—Louisa Dryadale.

Faculty of agriculture, for post-graduate studies:

W. C. Macdonald Scholarship, $500—Charles T. Townsend.

Third Year—The B.C. Fruit Growers' Association Scholarship (horticulture) $100—Lester D. Mallory.

First Year—University Scholarship, $75—Lindsay M. Black (general proficiency).

General (open) for post-graduate studies—1, University Scholarship, $200—William Chalmers (special aptitude). 2, The Anna Weshrook Scholarship, $100, Sadie M. Boyles. 3, University Book Prize, $25, no award.

Literary Essay—4, The Vancouver Women's Canadian Club Scholarship, $110—Gwendolen M. Musgrave (Canadian history). 5, the Historical Society Prize, $25 — Gdendolen M. Musgrave (essay on an assigned subject).

6. The Capt. Leroy Memorial Scholarship, $250—George W. Waddington (returned soldier).

7. The Players' Club Prize, $50—No award (original play).

8. University Scholarship for Returned Soldiers, $75—Thomas B. Lott.

9. University Scholarship for Returned Soldiers, $75—William H. Christie.

10. The Letters' Club Prize, $25—No award.

11. The Nichol Scholarship—Dorothy Dallas.

The Nichol Scholarship (continuing)—Jack Huggett.

12. The Native Sons of Canada Scholarship—First prize $350, Marion Mitchell; second prize $150, Franklin Levers. Thesis in Canadian History.

Bachelors of Arts

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James Aitken, first class honors in economics; Ralph Henry Hall, second class honors in chemistry; Bernice E. Veline Barton, first class honors in French; Lorna Durnford Barton, second class honors in French; Alfreda Alice Berkeley, first class honors in biology, zoology option; Alfred Earle Birney, first class honors in English, language and literature; Sadie Margaret Boyles, first class honors in French; Mildred Helen Campbell, first class honors in biology, zoology option; John Leslie Catterall, first class honors in classics; William Chalmers, first class honors in chemistry; Maurice Freeman, first class honors in economics; Betty Fuller, second class honors in English and history; Arthur Frederick Gallaugher, second class honors in chemistry; Clara Walters Heavysege Gould, second class honors in French; John Grace, second class honors in French; Braham Grey Griffith, second class honors in biology, botany option; Allan Garfield Gruchy, first class honors in economics; Gladys Agnes King, second class honors in economics; Susumu Kobe, second class honors in economics; Gertrude Annie Langridge; first class honors in French; Frances Vanetta Leach, first class honors in French.

William James Logie, second class honors in chemistry; Arthur Preston McIlish, first class honors in mathematics; Marion Mitchell, first class honors in history; William Murphy, first class honors in history; Alice Elizabeth Macdougall Myers, first class honors in French; Walter Fraser McCulloch, second class honors in biology (botany optional); Mary Catherine McGregor, second class honors in French; Charles Meurne McIntyre, second class honors in French; Noburo Abe Nakano, second class honors in economics; Anna E. Price, second class honors in French; Barbara Grote Stirling, first class honors in biology (zoology option); Jean Margaret Storey, first class honors in English, language and literature; John Houston Sutherland, first class honors in French; David Allan Brown Taylor, second class honors in English and history, Thomas Mayne Cunningham Taylor, second class honors in biology (botany option); Bertram Edwards Wales, second class honors in mathematics and physics.

Tulip Festival Excursion, May 7. For those who desire to take their automobiles on the Princess Charlotte to Bellingham, a suitable slip for unloading and reloading the cars has been arranged. Secure your tickets early and make reservation for your car.

Former Viceroy of India Back in England

THE above photograph of Lord and Lady Reading was taken at Dover as they landed from the Channel steamer on the return to England of the former viceroy of India. In recognition of Lord Reading's distinguished services in India, the King conferred on him the dignity of a marquisate.

Two Loggers Die In Accident at West Coast Camp

STRUCK by a falling hemlock tree, Leonard Hamilton, of Ohiliwack, B.C., and Alex. Oberg were killed at the Cathels & Sorenson logging camp at Port Renfrew yesterday, according to a report made to the Provincial Police. Both victims of the accident were employed as chokermen at the camp. It was stated in the message. The bodies will be brought to Victoria, where an inquest is expected to be held.

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Robert Scott Convicted On Charge of Robbery

CHICAGO, May 5.—Robert Scott, brought here from a California prison to stand trial for the murder of a drug clerk in a hold-up two years ago, tonight was found guilty by a jury in less than twenty-five minutes on a charge of robbing another pharmacist at about the same time. The state, which asked for the removal of Scott to Chicago on the murder charge, elected to try him first for robbery.

Yesterday's 'Quake Record

WASHINGTON, May 5.—An earthquake was recorded early today on the seismograph of Georgetown University beginning at 1:29 a.m. and lasting until 2:10. The maximum disturbance was between 1:42 and 1:44, and Director Tondorf located it as 2,700 miles from Washington in a northerly direction.

SANTIAGO, Chile, May 5.—Two strong earth shocks in quick succession were felt here at 9:37 o'clock last evening. The disturbance caused considerable alarm.

Taboada at Macao

HONG KONG, May 5.—Captain Joaquin Lorika Taboada, flying with Captain Gallarza, from Madrid to Manila, arrived in Macao, Portuguese dependency, this afternoon and received an enthusiastic reception.

Marjorie: "Jack proposed to me in a motor car."

Ethel: "Indeed."

Marjorie: "Yes, and I accepted him in the hospital."

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Labor Given Permission To Issue Own Newspaper

LONDON, May 5.—After holding up the appearance of The British Worker, the Labor paper issued in answer to the Government's British Gazette, police permitted its appearance from the office of The Daily Herald, the regular Labor newspapar. The embargo was lifted after a sample copy had been inspected.

"That stock you sold me is full of water."

"That so; have a blotter."

League Costs Canada $921,559 Since 1920

OTTAWA, May 5.—The cost to Canada of membership in the League of Nations was the subject of a return tabled in the House of Commons yesterday. It shows that since 1920 contributions from Canada to the expenses of the League have totalled $921,559.

Doctor—Your temperature seems to have taken a drop.

Patient—Can't you fix it so that I can do the same, doctor?

City and District

Guild of Health—A public meeting of the Guild of Health will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in the old church schoolroom, 914 Quadra Street.

Scottish Architecture—Immediately following the meeting of the St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society in the A.O.F. Hall on Thursday Mr. John Hosie will repeat his lantern lecture on "Scottish Architecture," commencing at 8:30 p.m. sharp.

Victoria Farmers' Institute—The next meeting of the Victoria Farmers' Institute will be held at Royal Oak School on Tuesday, May 11, at 8 o'clock. Mr. H. Rive, Dairy Commissioner for B.C., will address the meeting.

Street Car Breaks Axle—A broken axle of a Hillside Avenue street car early yesterday morning on Douglas Street caused a temporary delay in the service. Repairs by the emergency car were quickly effected and the car was moved to the barns in short time.

Telephone Service—The telephone service to Esquimalt was interrupted yesterday, and will be for at least a part of today, by the accidental disconnection of the submarine cable under Victoria Harbor at the Johnson Street Bridge. The repairs will entail several hours' work.

Conservative Meeting—There will be a military five hundred held in conjunction with the meeting of the Liberal-Conservatives this evening in the rooms in the Campbell Building. Ward Four is in charge of the meeting and a full attendance of Conservatives from the other wards is requested. The meeting opens at 8:30 o'clock.

Bogus Printing Outfit Found—A complete set of printing machines, of the sort used by experts in the counterfeiting of notes and currency, was left behind by the man who successfully passed bogus $10 notes on three banks in this city last Monday, police believe. Investigations carried on have disclosed his residence and resulted in finding considerable apparatus alleged to be used in counterfeiting.

Float to Be Entered—On Wednesday evening the Y.'s men held their weekly supper and monthly business meeting. They decided to have a float in the service clubs' section of the Victoria Day parade and a committee was appointed to work out a design. After some further discussion, the meeting adjourned. Next Wednesday is a social meeting and every member is asked to bring a guest with him.

Newsboys Enjoy Circus—Many of The Colonist newspaper boys and carriers enjoyed the invitation extended by Messrs. Conklin & Garrett to attend the circus being held on Garbally Road and Douglas Street, last night. The boys were shown through the many side shows, enjoyed rides on the big ferris wheel, merry-go-round and chair-a-planes, free of charge, and were unanimous in their verdict that they had spent one of the jolliest evenings for some time. The circus will continue all this week.

Aeroplane Patrols.—The Federal Government has decided to reconsider its decision to withdraw aerial patrol of Northern British Columbia fisheries, it was announced at the Parliament Buildings yesterday. According to advices received from Ottawa the patrols will most likely be maintained. Following the announcement recently that the service would be discontinued, British Columbia officials voiced strong protests, declaring that the fisheries could not be adequately protected without the use of aeroplanes.

Liberals Hold Social Evening—A large gathering of Liberals and friends from all parts of Victoria were present on Tuesday evening, when Ward Three Liberal Association held its regular monthly meeting at headquarters. Following the general business of the meeting an enjoyable evening was spent by those present taking part in a social five hundred card party. Prizes were won by the following persons: Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Anderton, Mrs. West, I. Bloomfield, M. A. LeBlanc and P. MacDonald.

BERRY CROP WILL ACHIEVE RECORD

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crates for the prairies and 1,000 crates for the local market.

Gooseberries First

The first local berries to appear on the market, however, will be the gooseberries. Picking will commence in about ten days. Some ten tons of gooseberries is the estimated crop yield for this season. Most of this will go to the jam factories. The gooseberries will be followed by early strawberries about the last week of this month, while the first car of strawberries is expected to roll East about the first week in June.

In connection with this fruit, Mr. Twining and Mr. Tanner pointed out that all berries will be precooled for eight hours before loading, and will be Government inspected at the association warehouses and inspected under Government supervision again before loading. A certificate will be issued on the car before it rolls. Last year all berries arrived on the prairies in good condition, and officials said that they believed the local associations were the only ones in British Columbia that were securing Government inspection. Vancouver Island berries, officials stated, netted the highest price on the prairie market last year.

Logan Crop

Some 300 tons of loganberries will be harvested on the Saanich Peninsula this season. Of this total, about 160 tons will be produced by the Keating district and 140 tons in the Gordon Head district. The bulk of the berries will be sold to the Growers' Wine Company, of Victoria, at eight cents a pound. Two hundred tons of this fruit have been contracted for by the local company, while the B.C. Wine Growers will take a small tonnage. A good crop of logans is expected this year, it was stated.

Black currants, which are expected to be on the market by about June 20, are also well advanced. The yield is estimated at seven tons. The bulk of this crop will also be taken up by the jam factories. Cherry trees are bearing a much better crop this year and some twenty-five tons of this fruit is anticipated. It is expected that about seven cars will move to the prairies this Summer.

Twenty tons is expected to be the yield from raspberries this year. Saanich growers, however, are only taking care of the local demand for this fruit.

Recent Rain Splendid

Officials of the two associations stated that the recent rain means a twenty-five per cent increase in the tonnage of the berry crops, while the moisture has greatly reduced the weevil menace by advancing young roots and preserving the plants.

Arrangements have been made with Miss Marlott, of the Women's Employment Bureau, to supply growers with the necessary pickers. Between 500 and 600 pickers will be needed this year, it was estimated. A basic price of forty-five cents a crate or pail on strawberries is suggested, the wages varying according to the condition of the patch. Picking rates on loganberries will vary from one and a quarter to one and a half cents a pound.

CANADIAN LEGION OFFERS UNION PLAN

UNORGANIZED MEN NUMBERING ABOUT 400 WILL DISCUSS PROPOSITION MADE

Larger Quarters Would Be Secured and Representation on Executive Given If Scheme Succeeds

The meeting held last evening in the rooms of the Canadian Legion for the purpose of hearing General Sir Percy Lake, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., Dominion president of the Canadian Legion of the B.E.S.L., afforded the opportunity of discussing plans for the unifying of efforts on the part of the returned of the city following the organization of the Legion as is now contemplated.

Mr. Robert Macnicol, president of the local post, expressed the hope that there might be one organization only in the city, and in order to bring that about the body he represented was willing to arrange for representation on the executive of other branches that might amalgamate.

To Discuss Union

If this were not possible, he hoped that the unorganized men would affiliate with some branch that might be formed here. Major J. H. Gillespie, who represented the unorganized men, favored the joining of the Legion if certain difficulties were removed, and in order to facilitate the carrying out of this it was arranged that the unorganized men should be given the privileges of the quarters for meetings to discuss the matter.

The bringing about of any amalgamation would mean the securing of new quarters where better facilities could be arranged.

Mr. Macnicol recalled the effort that had been made some time before in the interests of unity to form a united body. Their fullest success had not been attained at the time, but there was no doubt that the work here had had its effect in bringing about a united body in the Dominion.

An effort was being made, he said, to avoid having too many posts in Victoria. An effort had been made to bring about a single body from the various ones here. An offer had been suggested to give the various organizations representation on the executive. The officers of the Legion were satisfied to resign to facilitate this by a new election of officers. This had not as yet been successful.

Appeal to Unorganized

The unorganized men were asked to join and be given representation on the executive. The Legion had now 525 members. It was necessary, perhaps, to obtain larger club premises.

One difficulty had been that in the present quarters all the facilities that might be desired could not be obtained without the interjection of the canteen. It was quite possible that this could be overcome and more privacy afforded in the new quarters than could be given now.

He suggested that the unorganized men should, if they wished to do so, meet together at a later date and discuss the alternatives that might be put before them. If none of these were acceptable, they might join any body they saw fit. The great desire was to have the unorganized men join the Canadian Legion in some way.

Major Gillespie's Views

Major J. H. Gillespie, asked for his views as one who had taken a great deal of interest in the unorganized men, said he felt that the best thing to do would be for the unorganized men to join this post.

If the canteen difficulty were overcome the way would be simplified. He thought it would be advisable to have a meeting of the unorganized men at some later date to go into the subject. There were 400 of these men, he mentioned.

Colonel F. A. Robertson urged that the proposition of Major Gillespie should be acted upon. He suggested offering the quarters of the Legion to these unorganized men to discuss matters and he moved to extend an invitation to these men along this line.

The motion carried and meetings will be called at later dates to afford an opportunity for the unorganized men to consider the matter from all angles.

Norway Places Ban On Export of Coal

OSLO, Norway, May 5.—The Norwegian Government today forbade the export of coal and coke. Sailings to Great Britain of the Bergen Steamship Co. and the Oslo Line have been suspended temporarily because of the British strike.

PEACE FORECAST THIS WEEK-END

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issues and potential forces involved in the greatest industrial struggle of modern times are considered.

From widely separated points in the metropolis and the provinces come reports of a few auto busses wrecked and impoverished tram service attacked by strikers, but many of such acts are attributed by the police themselves to "hooliganism."

News from the coal mining areas is particularly scarce, but such as has been received indicates unusual and perhaps unexpected calmness.

Both Sides Waiting

The official position of the strike has reached a point tonight where both sides are standing off, demanding that the other must make the first move to reopen the negotiations, which came to an end dramatically Sunday night and stalled the economic life of the country.

In the meantime both Government and strikers are consolidating their positions like great opposing armies. The Government is bending every effort to re-establish railway, interurban and municipal transport in order to maintain essential services of supply, while the Trades Union Congress is devoting its energies to maintaining solidarity in organized labor ranks.

Rival Summaries

In setting forth the situation to the press, the Government's spokesman at the Admiralty declared that the nation was meeting the crisis quietly and calmly, with food and fuel supplies guaranteed for many weeks.

An official of the Trades Union Congress at Eccleston Square, Labor headquarters, announced that the railway tie-up was the most complete in the history of Great Britain, and that the striking men and their women folk were standing solidly together for the cause of labor.

"Surely, my dear, you have spent a very long afternoon at the De Veres."

"Yes, I know, Grannie. But if you'd only heard all the things they said of everyone who left—why, I simply didn't dare to come away."

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Schubert Club, Fourth Recital, High School, Tuesday, May 11, 8:15 p.m. including cantata, "The Lady of Shalott." Walter Bates, Canadian tenor; Miss Gladys Farnell, reader, assisting artists. Tickets, 75 cents, at Fletcher Bros.

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I.O.D.E. Reception for Miss Mackenzie Tuesday, May 11, 3:30 to 6 p.m., Alexandra House. Musical programme. All members invited to attend.

The Murray Studio of Dancing is closed for the Summer months, and all pupils holding unexpired cards will be able to redeem them on the reopening of the studio next Fall.

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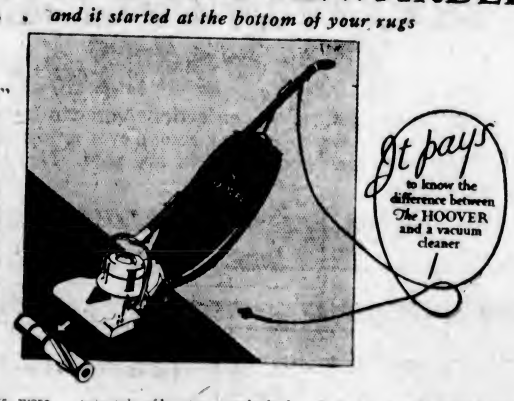

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MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

Palatial Ferryboat Will Be Constructed For Bellingham Run

Puget Sound Navigation Company to Reconstruct Kitsap II for Service Between Sidney and Bellingham—Will Be Named City of Bellingham and Carry Fifty-Five Cars and 750 Passengers

Speed of Nineteen Knots Will Improve Present Four-Hour Run

A large and palatial ferryboat will be placed on the Bellingham-Vancouver Island run in the Spring of 1927, it was announced here yesterday by Mr. E. E. Blackwood, local representative of the Puget Sound Navigation Company, who is in receipt of advices from Mr. Joshua Green, president of the company.

Before sailing for Fort Moller on the steamship Catherine D on a big game hunting expedition, Mr. Green issued the statement that the Puget Sound Navigation Company would operate this new ferryboat between this Island and Bellingham.

The vessel will be named the City of Bellingham. She will have a speed of nineteen knots and a capacity for 750 passengers and fifty-five automobiles. The steamship Kitsap II is being rebuilt for this service. The Kitsap was a fast passenger vessel operated by the Kitsap Line between Port Townsend and Seattle.

In reconstructing the Kitsap the P. S. N. Co. has in view a better service for the Sidney-Bellingham run. The service on this route which goes into effect on May 20 in connection with a triangular service between that port, Sidney and Anacortes, with the steamers City of Angeles and Puget, includes calls at Roche Harbor and Orcas Island, and takes some four hours to complete.

Time Will Be Lessened

The two vessels commissioned to the service this year carry thirty-five automobiles and 250 passengers, and have a maximum speed of only fourteen knots, as compared with a maximum speed of nineteen knots with the new boat.

Not only will passenger and automobile accommodation be improved on this run, but the time required to make the trip between Sidney and Bellingham will be lessened.

Judging from the number of tourists already being carried by the vessels operating between Anacortes and Sidney, larger vessels will most likely be required next year to handle the traffic, even though two round trips a day will be given between Anacortes and Sidney during the peak season.

Triangle Run Starts May 20

Effective May 20, the triangle run will be inaugurated, bringing into effect the regular Summer schedule, which gives two round trips a day between Anacortes and Sidney and one round trip a day between Bellingham and Sidney. The new schedules give the following sailings: From Anacortes to Sidney, 1 p.m. and 5:30 p.m.; from Sidney to Anacortes, 8:30 a.m. and 2 p.m.; from Bellingham to Sidney, 8:30 a.m., and from Sidney to Bellingham, 5:30 p.m.

The new boat will even be faster than the Olympic, which at present is the fastest automobile ferryboat connecting Vancouver Island with the Mainland. The Olympic, which starts the Victoria-Port Angeles service on June 12, has a speed of sixteen knots, with accommodation for fifty cars and 1,000 passengers. This vessel will make sailings out of Port Angeles at 11:45 a.m. and 6 p.m., and out of Victoria at 9 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

Weather Report

Alert Bay — Showery; southeast fresh; 29.82; 50; moderate swell.

Estevan—Rain, southeast light; 29.80; 47; sea rough.

Pachena—Cloudy; south; 29.80; 50; moderate swell.

Carmanah—Overcast; east; 29.70; heavy swell.

Cape Beale—Overcast; southeast light; 29.53; heavy swell.

Cape Lazo — Cloudy; southeast fresh; 29.74; 56; sea choppy.

Bull Harbor—Cloudy; southeast light; 29.40; 53; moderate swell.

Dead Tree Point—29.84; 44.

Powell River—Southeast; 29.50; 54; sea choppy.

Prince Rupert—Part cloudy; southeast; 29.66; 49; light swell.

Shipping Information

SUNRISE AND SUNSET
MAY

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of May, 1926

	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
1	4:56	7:26	17	4:31	7:47
2	4:54	7:26	18	4:30	7:48
3	4:51	7:28	19	4:29	7:49
4	4:49	7:29	20	4:27	7:51
5	4:48	7:30	21	4:26	7:52
6	4:47	7:32	22	4:25	7:54
7	4:45	7:33	23	4:24	7:55
8	4:44	7:34	24	4:23	7:57
9	4:42	7:36	25	4:22	7:58
10	4:41	7:37	26	4:21	7:59
11	4:40	7:38	27	4:21	8:00
12	4:39	7:40	28	4:20	8:01
13	4:37	7:41	29	4:19	8:02
14	4:36	7:42	30	4:18	8:03
15	4:34	7:44	31	4:17	8:04
16	4:33	7:45			

TIDES AT VICTORIA
MAY

Date	Time. H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time. H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time. H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time. H.M.	Ht. Ft.
1	3:01	8.7	11:55	1.3				
2	3:35	8.7	12:43	1.3				
3			4:03	8.7	12:32	1.4		
4			4:45	8.5	14:25	1.5	20:58	7.9
5	5:18	7.9	5:37	7.8	15:20	1.8	22:39	7.9
6	4:44	6.9	6:23	7.0	16:15	2.3	23:54	7.9
7	6:04	6.0	10:22	6.5	17:11	2.6		
8	6:14	5.0	8:55	5.5	11:59	2.9	18:04	4.2
9	0:38	8.2	7:38	3.9	13:30	0.5	19:55	5.0
10	1:02	8.4	8:17	3.9	14:49	0.8	19:44	5.7
11	1:27	8.5	8:57	3.9	16:25	1.0	20:39	6.4
12	1:49	8.5	9:36	1.5	18:21	1.3	21:13	6.9
13	2:09	8.9	10:16	1.2	19:49	1.3	21:58	7.4
14	2:30	8.7	10:56	1.1	21:07	1.3	22:46	7.8
15	2:39	8.0	11:45	1.2	22:08	1.1	23:53	8.5
16	2:44	8.4	12:28	1.5	23:46	0.8		
17	1:14	8.6	2:32	8.1	13:15	2.0	23:16	8.3
18					14:51	2.6	23:34	8.3
19					14:40	2.0	23:53	8.2
20					15:21	2.4	23:41	8.1
21	0:13	5.5	9:53	5.4	16:17	4.2	23:48	8.1
22	7:58	5.1	11:49	5.6	17:05	4.7		
23	0:03	5.0	7:44	4.4	12:47	5.4	17:54	5.2
24	0:36	4.2	7:53	3.6	14:03	6.1	18:42	5.7
25	0:45	3.2	8:15	2.7	15:11	6.4	19:27	6.2
26	1:03	2.5	8:44	1.9	16:36	6.7	20:58	6.7
27	1:19	2.7	9:19	1.3				
28	1:34	2.5	9:59	0.9				
29	1:51	2.1	10:42	0.4				
30	2:13	2.1	11:26	0.4				
31	2:41	2.3	12:13	0.6	22:14	8.1		

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of lower low water.

Equimalt—To find the depth of water on the sill of the drydock at any time, add 18.5 feet to the height of high water as above given.

MAID OF ORLEANS IN ARCTIC TRADE

TRADING SCHOONER OF AMERICAN REGISTRY TO FLY CANADIAN FLAG

Vessel Will Be Renamed Old Maid No. 2, and Commanded by Captain Klingenburg

SEATTLE, May 5.—The trading schooner Maid of Orleans, lying in Lake Washington here, within the next few days is to be rechristened and her registry changed from American to Canadian by her owner and master, Captain C. Klingenburg.

The American flag will be dipped three times and then hauled down and the Canadian flag raised over the ship, which is to be renamed, "Old Maid No. 2."

Captain Klingenburg trades in the Canadian Arctic, far to the eastward of Point Barrow, Alaska, and by operating under the Canadian flag he can carry on his trading operations more advantageously, he said. The ship is to leave here on May 15 on its fur trading expedition.

PRINCESS ENA IS BEING REPAIRED

Work Will Cost Approximately $25,000—Victoria Machinery Depot Secures Contract

Repair work was commenced yesterday on the Princess Ena, which was badly damaged when she struck Lowe Rock, at the entrance to Esperanza Inlet, recently. The Victoria Machinery Depot is doing the work at an approximate cost of $25,000.

It will take some thirty days to complete the repairs to the damage, which is extensive. Considerable hull work is necessary, due to the bottom having been punctured by the impact with Lowe Rock. Several plates will have to be renewed and frames put back in place.

The V.M.D. will be busy during the month. The firm is working on the Princess Adelaide, the Princess Ena and the whalers Orion and St. Lawrence. The depot also expected to secure the contract for the steamer Famous but they will not be able to start work on her until the Princess Ena has been completed. It is expected that while the Ena is at the V.M.D. she will have her new tanks installed for carrying fish oil from the West Coast.

The whalers Orion and St. Lawrence, which are owned by the Orion Fishing & Packing Company, are practically completed and will leave for the West Coast to be used in the pilchard fishing business. These boats have been remodeled, new hatchways being built, while considerable interior work has also been carried out.

SPECIAL TRAIN IS DELIVERING MAIL

Ms. Aorangi Delayed Only Thirty Hours by Smart Transportation—Will Overcome Delay

In dispatching the Canadian-Australasian liner Aorangi to the Antipodes at 12 o'clock tonight the Canadian Pacific Railway, in conjunction with the Canadian-Australasian Line, grappled with a situation which might have caused serious delay in mails. Engineering one of the smartest pieces of railroad transportation across the continent, however, the Aorangi is able to get away only thirty hours behind schedule, a delay that the speed queen of the All Red Route will, no doubt, easily be able to overcome.

The delay in mail was caused by the condition of the ice on the St. Lawrence River, which prevented the Montcalm from docking on schedule. There was a carload of Australian mail on board the liner for the Aorangi. The Western office of the Canadian-Australasian Line was immediately notified and the executive of the Canadian Pacific Railway gave immediate orders that the mail be rushed by special train to Vancouver.

The special reached Sudbury at 5:30 a.m. Tuesday and the mail was transferred to No. 3, due in at Winnipeg at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. From this point the journey of 1,478 miles will be completed by a special train to Vancouver consisting of the mail car, engine and caboose.

ORIENT CRUISES ARE CANCELLED

EDUCATIONAL TOUR OF FAR EAST WILL BE MADE ON IYO MARU SAILING JUNE 10

Change Made in N.Y.K. Transpacific Schedule Stops Arrangements for Other Two Ships

The three educational tours to the Orient on board Nippon Yusen Kaisha liners, under the auspices of the American Express Company, have been cancelled, and only one tour will now be made, it was learned here yesterday. The Iyo Maru, which sails on June 10, will take the excursion party to the Orient. The abandonment of the other two cruises is due to the amalgamation of the T.K.K. and N.Y.K., which caused a change in the transpacific schedule.

The excursion leaving here on June 10 will embrace a tour of Japan and China covering a period of sixty days, twenty-eight days of which will be spent in shore trips visiting the many ancient and interesting localities.

Among the places to be visited by the students, teachers and professors taking the tour are Yokohama, Tokio, Nikko, Miyanoshita, Nara, Kyoto and Kobe in Japan on the outward voyage, which also includes many side trips from these places; Shanghai and Hangchow in China, with side trips between August 10 and 16 visiting this section of China, and then returning, with calls at Nagasaki, Kobe, Nagoya and Yokohama en route to Seattle, where the party is scheduled to arrive September 8.

Hotel accommodations, transportation, three meals daily and all necessities of convenience in travel are provided by the American Express Company, though each student will be expected to provide his or her own luxuries, such as smoking materials, wines, mineral waters or other extras with meals, as well as laundry and tips.

In spite of the poet's allusions to the heart as a centre of feeling, the heart itself may be pierced by a needle without any pain being felt.

BRITISH SEAMEN DESERT ARABIC

First Repercussion of Great Britain's Strike Felt in New York When Crew Causes Trouble

FOURTEEN MISSING MEN ARE REPLACED

Conference Held With Commander, Who Later Reports "Conditions on Board Are Normal"

NEW YORK, May 5.—The harbor here today felt the first repercussion of Great Britain's two-day-old strike, when a firm hand was necessary to quell a disturbance among the engine-room "black gang" on the Arabic. A checkup of the crew in the morning showed fourteen desertions, which the White Star Line, owners of the vessel, said was not unusual. Fourteen men were sent to take the vacant places and six more men added to relieve the crew of extra work because of possible inefficiency of the new members.

Shortly before sailing, reports came above decks of ominous words in the engine-room. Gangplanks immediately were guarded. When forty-six men of the "black gang" rushed on deck they saw the guard and decided it would be better not to rush the line. Three spokesmen then sought a conference with the captain.

These demanded written agreements that no man would be required to do more than eight hours' work in each twenty-four because of an impression the crew was short. This was refused, as being covered in the articles.

Captain Davies was instructed by the company to take the ship to quarantine and there "count noses" and a large crowd saw the ship go down stream with the "black boys" still aboard.

As the Arabic left quarantine, Captain Davies reported to his line by wireless that his crew was complete. After the ship had passed beyond Sandy Hook and was well out from the American coast on its way to England, Captain Davies sent a wireless to the Associated Press, saying:

"Conditions on board are normal."

No further action by the men was expected since, under maritime regulations, such actions on the sea consist of mutiny, which carries a severe penalty under British law.

The Orca and Aquitania, both British vessels, departed in a routine manner today.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

SEATTLE, May 5.—Arrived: Whitney Olsen, Cadaretta, San Francisco; Warwick, Munaires, Portland; J. C. Fitzsimmons, San Pedro; President Jackson, Ruth Alexander, Tacoma; Ms. Atago Maru, Yokohama; Dellwood, Port Townsend; Admiral Watson, Southeastern Alaska; Redondo, Alaska. Sailed: Norlina, Grays Harbor; City of Victoria, Jeptha, Everett; Ayaha Maru, Yokohama; Border Queen, Southeastern Alaska; Pennsylvanian, Frank H. Buck, San Francisco; Ms. Los Alamos, Horace X. Baxter, San Pedro; Ms. Norco, Alaska; Eldorado, Tacoma.

SITKA, May 5.—Sailed: Admiral Rogers, southbound.

EVERETT, May 5.—Arrived: Thomas P. Beal, Jeptha, Seattle; Doylestown, Ruth Alexander, Tacoma.

TACOMA, May 5.—Arrived: Wilmington, Quinault, Eldorado, Seattle; W. A. McKenny, New York. Sailed: Ruth Alexander, Diana Dollar, President Jackson, Seattle; Wilmington, Sound Ports; W. A. McKenny, Harry Luckenbach, Everett.

PORTLAND, May 5.—Arrived: Fort Bragg, San Francisco; Kermit, Hamburg; Canadian Planter, Antwerp; Ms. H. T. Harper, Ernest H. Myer, Los Angeles; London Shipper, Glasgow. Sailed: Admiral Farragut, San Diego; North King, Naknek, Alaska; Bert E. Haney, Los Angeles; Ms. Childar, Arica.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—Arrived: Tosca, Astoria; President Cleveland, Manila; Providencia, Guaymas; President Garfield, New York. Sailed: Bear, Arctic cruise; Wilhelmina, Honolulu; Kora Maru, San Pedro; Krylchah, Bristol Bay; Providencia, Tacoma.

Arrived

HONG KONG, May 3.—Siberia Maru, San Francisco.

AUCKLAND, May 3.—West Nivaria, San Francisco.

YOKOHAMA, May 3.—Iwatesan Maru, Seattle.

GIBRALTAR, May 5.—Trecarrele, Vancouver.

Sailed

PANAMA CANAL, May 4.—Lillian Luckenbach, San Pedro; Eastern Knight, San Francisco.

BALTIMORE, May 5.—Frost, Vancouver.

WIRELESS REPORT
(Estevan, 8 P. M., May 6)

Admiral Peary, Ketchikan for Vancouver, 213 miles from Vancouver.

Atlantic City, Nagoya for Gray's Harbor, 460 miles from Gray's Harbor.

Wapama, Port Ludlow for San Francisco, 235 miles from Port Ludlow.

Elsegundo, Elsegundo for Aberdeen, 215 miles from Aberdeen.

Barbara C., San Diego for Tacoma, 205 miles from Tacoma.

Margaret Ellis, Seattle for San Francisco, 530 miles from San Francisco.

Eleanore Christensen, San Francisco for Portland, 270 miles from Portland.

Frank H. Buck, Seattle for Montebella, 170 miles from Seattle.

West Cadron, Portland for Yokohama, 200 miles from Columbia River.

Mina Brea, San Pedro for Vancouver, 469 miles from Vancouver.

Charley Watson, Coos Bay for Richmond, bar bound Coos Bay.

Capt. A. F. Lucas, Elsegundo for Seattle, 548 miles from Seattle.

Bullaren left Astoria, 4 p.m., for Tacoma.

Tanana, Dutch Harbor for Seattle, 50:21 north, 135:20 west.

Alaska, Vancouver for Yokohama, 240 miles from Cape Flattery.

Admiral Farragut, Portland for San Francisco, 550 miles from San Francisco.

Africa Maru, Victoria for Yokohama, 51:22 north, 137:49 west.

Utacarbon, Port San Luis for Vancouver, 330 miles from Vancouver.

Walotapu, San Francisco for Auckland, 181 miles from San Francisco.

Bankoku Maru, Mikki for Astoria, 542 miles from Astoria.

Hallgyn, Victoria for Yokohama, 870 miles from Victoria.

Princess Royal left Alert Bay, 5:20 p. m., south bound.

Catalla left Alert Bay, 5:30 p.m., north bound.

Princess Maquinna off Centre Island, 4 p.m., north bound.

Alameda, 352 miles from Ketchikan, 6 p.m., north bound.

Lorne, eight miles north of Lowe Island, 6 p.m.

Olinda left Prince Rupert, 2:30 p.m., south bound.

Lillehorn at Watun River, 5:30 p.m., bound Ocean Falls.

C.G.M.M. MOVEMENTS

Canadian Freighter, April 10, left Vancouver for United Kingdom.

Canadian Highlander, April 25, arrived Halifax.

Canadian Importer, April 24, left Swansea for Vancouver.

Canadian Pioneer, April 10, left Panama Canal for Montreal.

Canadian Planter, April 27, left San Pedro for San Francisco.

Canadian Ranger, April 23, arrived Vancouver.

Canadian Transporter, April 20, arrived Vancouver.

Canadian Seigneur, April 27, left Union Bay for Devonport.

Canadian Winner, April 14, left Norfolk for United Kingdom.

Canadian Skirmisher, April 22, arrived Liverpool.

Canadian Coaster, April 26, left Ocean Falls for Astoria.

Canadian Farmer, April 26, arrived Ocean Falls.

Canadian Observer, April 27, left San Pedro for San Francisco.

Canadian Rover, April 29, left Victoria for Vancouver.

Canadian Prospector, April 29, left Vancouver for Montreal.

SHIPPING CALENDAR

To Arrive

Empress of Australia, from Orient, May 5.

Atago Maru, from Orient, May 5.

President McKinley, from Orient, May 11.

Yokohama Maru, from Orient, May 13.

Empress of Asia, from Orient, May 17.

President Jefferson from Orient, May 23.

Asuka Maru, from Orient, May 24.

Niagara, from Australia, May 25.

Empress of Canada, from Orient, May 31.

To Sail

Africa Maru, for Orient, May 3.

Aorangi, for Australia, May 5.

President Jackson, for Orient, May 10.

Empress of Australia, for Orient, May 13.

Alabama Maru, for Orient, May 14.

President McKinley, for Orient, May 22.

Empress of Asia, for Orient, May 27.

Shidzuoka Maru, for Orient, May 28.

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Empress of Russia—Mails close May 1, 5 p.m. Due at Yokohama May 12; Shanghai, May 16; Hong Kong May 19.

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Society and Women's Affairs

Visitors to Art Gallery

The following are among the recent visitors to the Crystal Garden Art Gallery: Mrs. J. A. Haviland, Mrs. F. J. Buller, Mr. S. A. Roberts, all of Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Craig, Olda, Alberta; Miss M. I. Pollock, Miss Newton and Mr. P. Newton, Crofton, V. I.; Mrs. C. W. Young, Aggassiz, B. C.; Mrs. A. J. Lett, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bulwer, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. D. Gavin, Vancouver; Miss Sheila McPherson, Vancouver; Miss L. Duthie, Aberdeen, Scotland; Mr. J. D. Higinbotham, Lethbridge, Alberta; Mr. and Mrs. W. Ellis, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Kellet, Los Angeles; Col. and Lady Constance Fawkes, Mayne Island; Mr. and Miss Mather, Winnipeg; Mr. and Mrs. J. Hough, Glendale, Cal.; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hosking, Long Beach, Cal.; Mr. J. A. Sherridan, Minneapolis; Mr. Harry Case, Oxford, England.

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Municipal Chapter Reception

The Municipal Chapter, I. O. D. E., will hold a reception for Miss Helen Mackenzie, of Government House, on Tuesday at 4 o'clock. The reception will take place at Alexandra House. Miss Mackenzie is the honorary president of the Provincial Chapter, and it is hoped that all members will take this opportunity of welcoming her to the Order in Victoria. A programme of music and dancing has been arranged for the occasion, and members are invited to bring their friends to the reception.

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Shower for Bride-to-Be

The Misses Aylard, Elliott Street, entertained yesterday afternoon with a miscellaneous shower for Miss Dorothy Norris, whose marriage will take place in June. Those present included Mrs. Norris, Miss Ellery, Mrs. Pendray, Miss Norma Pendray, Mrs. P. R. Brown, the Misses Dorothy and Lillian Norris, Mrs. Palmer, Miss Helen Macdonald, Miss Doris Pattullo, the Misses Mary and Kathleen Clay, Miss Mary Campbell, Miss Betty Savannah, the Misses Isobel and Gertrude Munn, Miss K. Woolaston, Miss Kit. Johnston, the Misses Jill and Madge Lloyd-Young, Miss Doris Jack, Miss Dorothy Hay and Miss Carol Puckle.

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Returns From India

A passenger on the Empress of Australia arriving this week from Parlakunedi, India, is Miss A. C. Munro, R.N., who has completed a term in medical and evangelistic work in the Canadian Baptist Mission field. Miss Munro's work has been among an aboriginal hill tribe in the Eastern Ghak. The language of this tribe is unwritten and their history unknown. Before proceeding to Fort William, Ontario, where she will spend a considerable part of her furlough, Miss Munro will visit for several days with her brother, Mr. J. B. Munro, at 2714 Blackwood Avenue.

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British Columbians in London

Among those recently registered in London from British Columbia are Mr. and Mrs. Cave-Brown-Cave, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. J. Hardy Devey, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Keenleyside and Miss Keenleyside, Vancouver; Capt. J. B. Kidd, Vancouver; Mr. J. E. Makay, Vancouver; Mr. James Wither, Victoria; Mr. and Mrs. Evans, Victoria, and Mrs. T. P. Martin, New Westminster.

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To Attend Graduation

Among the Victorians who are in Vancouver to attend the graduation of the arts '26 students at the University of B.C., are Mrs. T. Leeming, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bullock-Webster, Dr. Paul, Mrs. Baines, Miss Jeanette Cann, Mr. C. C. Fuller, Dr. and Mrs. Garesche, and the Misses Cecilia and Teresa Garesche, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Swannell.

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To Kentucky

Mr. John Kennedy, who has for some time been employed on the Ss. Princess Louise, is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. T. Rowan, 818 Vine Street, before leaving for Kentucky, where he goes to accept a position as fire boss in one of the coal mines in which he was formerly employed.

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Return From Vancouver

Mr. and Mrs. Alec McDermott, "Gracemanor," Uplands, returned to the city yesterday morning after spending a few days in Vancouver. Miss Peggy Farmer, of Vancouver, Mrs. McDermott's niece, will be the guest of her aunt for a time.

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Return From Vancouver

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Heming, Linden Avenue, returned to the city yesterday morning after spending the week-end in Vancouver, the guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Woodburn.

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Visits Sister

Mrs. A. H. Mitchell, 1270 Yates Street, has recently returned to the city after visiting her parents in the South. Her sister, Miss Antoinette Barrett, returned with her and will be her guest for a month or two.

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On Visit From California

Mrs. P. N. A. Smith, of Los Angeles, passed through Victoria yesterday on her way to Vancouver, where she will spend two months with her mother.

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Home From Vancouver

Mrs. Harry G. Eakins, 2749 Estevan Avenue, returned to the city on Tuesday after spending a few days in Vancouver.

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In Hospital

The many friends of Miss Ruth Tryon, of French Creek, V.I., will be sorry to hear that she is a patient at St. Joseph's Hospital.

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From Mayne Island

The Rev. R. D. Porter, of Mayne Island, is spending a few days in the city and is a guest at the Strathcona Hotel.

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Left for Alberta

Mrs. H. S. Young, who has been spending the Winter with her parents, left for Alberta on Saturday.

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With Vancouver Friends

Mrs. M. A. Cullin is enjoying a visit with relatives and friends in the Terminal City.

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Tea Hostess

Mrs. Hungerford Pollen gave a small tea party at her home on Pemberton Road, yesterday afternoon.

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Visiting in Vancouver

Mr. A. C. Watts-Jones is spending a few days with friends in Vancouver.

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Here From Ashcroft

Mr. John A. Calder, of Ashcroft, is a guest at the Strathcona Hotel.

Prominent in the Girl Guides Association

AMONG those who attended the annual meeting of the Canadian Council of Girl Guides in Government House, Toronto, last week, were the chief guide, Lady Baden-Powell, at the left, and one of the outstanding commissioners, Dame Katherine Furse, O.B.E. Both are guests with the chief commissioner for Canada, Mrs. H. D. Warren, and traveled from England for the meeting.

Women's Institutes

Royal Oak

The monthly meeting of the Royal Oak Women's Institute will be held at the Wayside Inn, East Road, on Wednesday next, at 2:30 p.m., when Mrs. L. A. MacQueen will speak on "Home Economics."

Lake Hill

The monthly meeting of the Lake Hill Women's Institute was held on Tuesday afternoon in the Community Hall, with a good attendance of members present, and the president in the chair. Mrs. Peddie, economics convener, reported that one wool quilt had been made during the month.

Mrs. Service reported that the classes in reading and public speaking were finished, and had been voted a great success by the pupils. It is planned to hold a dance in aid of the Queen Alexandra Solarium Fund on May 12, in the Community Hall. Mrs. Macnicol was appointed convener of the dance, with Mrs. Akerman and Miss Douglas to assist her.

A donation, to be used as a special prize, was granted to the Saanich Agricultural Society. Capt. St. Clair gave a very interesting and instructive address upon "Athletics in the Schools," which was greatly enjoyed by all present. Mrs. Harris and Mrs. Fooks served afternoon tea.

The clothes that make the woman are the clothes that break the man.

Strikes Postpone The Royal Courts; Debutantes Grieve

LONDON, May 5. — Some forty-odd American debutantes and matrons had the saddest blow of their social careers today when they learned that the Royal Courts, scheduled for May 13 and 14 at Buckingham Palace, have been postponed on account of the strike.

"Oh that unlucky 13!" said one debutante. "I just knew something would happen."

Native Daughters of B.C. To Hold Annual Meeting

The sixth annual meeting of the Grand Post of the Native Daughters of British Columbia will open in Nanaimo tomorrow morning, when delegates from Victoria, Vancouver and New Westminster will join the Nanaimo members. Mrs. T. W. Martindale, Grand Factor, will preside and Mrs. Paul Smith, Supreme Factor of the Native Daughters of Canada, will read the address of welcome. Native Daughters Post No. 3, Nanaimo, will be hostesses, and arrangements are being made for a luncheon and a social in the evening will include cards and dancing. Major V. B. Harrison will open the business session.

The Wife—Does this new novel end happily?

Henry—It doesn't say; it only says they married.

Fashion Fancies

By Marie Belmont

All manner of furs, light in weight and in appearance, are being used on the smart coats for Spring and Summer.

The model above is a striking affair of tan cashmere, which flares slightly toward the hemline. The pockets are outlined with narrow pipings of the material. The collar flares, too, giving somewhat the appearance of a long, separate scarf of the fur, but it is applied flat against the coat.

Other smart coats of all white have collars similar to this of clipped wool.

VICTORIA STUDENTS GRADUATE AT U.B.C.

Honors Won by Miss Betty Fuller, Mr. Frank Levers and Mr. John L. Catterall

This evening, at the graduation exercises at the University of British Columbia, a number of Victoria students who were successful in the final examinations at the University, will formally receive their degree of Bachelor of Arts. The list includes Miss Betty Fuller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Fuller, St. Ann Street, who won second-class honors in English and history, and Mr. John Leslie Catterall, who secured first-class honors in classics. In the Pass Course the following are listed in order of merit: Class 2, Mr. Frank Potter; Mr. Charles Swannell, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Swannell, 564 Dallas Road; Miss Marjorie Leeming, well known in Victoria for her achievements in tennis; Mr. Franklin O. Levers, who has won second prize of $150 in the Native Sons of Canada Scholarship; Miss Flora Musgrave; Miss May Beane, granddaughter of Mrs. F. Beane, Burnside Road; Miss Alyce A. W. Baines, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Baines, Yates Street; Miss Gladys M. Garesche, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Garesche, of this city. Passed: Miss Jean W. McRae and Miss Marion Bullock-Webster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bullock-Webster.

Nearly all the above graduates attended Victoria College prior to attending the University, and received their early education in local schools.

BAZAAR OF CATHOLIC WOMEN IS OPENED

Comte Jean de Suzannet Officiates—Affair to Continue This Afternoon and Evening

Yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock Comte Jean de Suzannet opened the May frolic bazaar, which is being held in the K. of C. Hall, Government Street, by the Oak Bay subdivision of the Catholic Women's League.

The sale, which lasted till late last evening, will continue this afternoon and evening from 2:30 till 11 o'clock.

The tea room and tables were prettily decorated with Spring flowers, and Mrs. E. Vernon Thomson, assisted by Mrs. Ray Power, Mrs. A. Thompson and Mrs. Morning were in charge.

The "Lucky Strike" table was one of the most popular features of the afternoon, and was in charge of Mrs. Charles E. Wilson, Comtesse Jean de Suzannet, Mrs. Squire and Mrs. Arthur Oates. Mrs. Gordon Evans, Mrs. T. W. Paterson, Mrs. T. Brown and Mrs. H. Austin Goward were in charge of the fancy work; the apron and plain sewing, Mrs. Windau, Mrs. Gourlay and Mrs. Warner; home cooking, Mrs. M. Steele and Mrs. E. A. Colbert; candy, Mrs. Orme and Mrs. Edwin Hornsby; ice cream, Mrs. Milton and Mrs. Kay.

Women's Clubs And Societies

Marguerite Chapter Dance

The members of the Marguerite Chapter, I.O.D.E., were hostesses at a jolly dance last evening at St. Mary's Hall, Oak Bay. Hunt's orchestra played the dance programme music and responded generously to the encores. An attraction of the evening was the introduction of two numbers, a Charleston exhibition cleverly done by Leighton McMicking, and an amusing burlesque tango by Miss Vivien Combe and Ted Corby. This number "brought down the house," and was encored. A buffet supper was served by members of the refreshment committee. Among those noticed were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Troup, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Birnie, Mrs. Douglas Layton, Mrs. P. F. Howden, Mr. and Mrs Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Beach, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hutchison, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cameron, the Misses Helen and Betty Streatfeild, Peggy Hodgins, Nora McEachern, Molly Birch, Katie Collison, Doris Pattullo, Inez Ker, Willie Blankevoort, Yoder Pemberton, Eileen Rose, Rona Hartley, Marguerite Francioli, Harris, Lamb, M. Haynes, H. Colpman, Eileen Tanqueray, Rachael Madden, J. Lang, Mona Miller, W. Woolaston, P. Humber, Eileen Thurburn, Cynthia Clayton, Mary Campbell, Sheila Parr, Betty Phillips, Margaret McVittie, Vivien Combe, M. Oates, and Messrs. Weston, Askew, Bauman, Round, Birch, Collison, Mogg, Noble, T. Holmes, Jones, Gordon, Edgell, Crane, Mathews, Parr, Fort, J. Hutchison, Challoner, Adams, Madden, Brown, Musgrave, Matier, Grubb, Dr. Watson, Sterry, Thurburn, Beaumont, Bennett, Elderton, Haynes, Corby, McMicking and others.

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Robert Burns McMicking Chapter

The monthly meeting of the Robert Burns McMicking Chapter was held on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. H. G. Bolt, regent. Among other business a report was made on the silver tea held on April 10, which was voted as very successful. At the adjournment of the meeting refreshments were served by the hostess.

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Council Meeting

The annual meeting, at which election of officers takes place, of the Y.M.C.A. Ladies' Auxiliary, will be held on Tuesday in Room L, Y.M.C.A. Building, Blanshard Street. It is hoped there will be a large attendance. New members will be welcomed.

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Rummage Sale

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. is holding a rummage sale in the vacant store on Douglas Street, north of the Hudson's Bay store, on Saturday, May 15. Donations may be sent to the Y.M.C.A. Building, Blanshard Street.

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King's Daughters

The regular meeting of the Ministering Circle, King's Daughters, will be held in the Rest Rooms, Hibben-Bone Building, on Friday, commencing at 3 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

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Ottawa Will Continue Alberta Aerial Patrol

OTTAWA, May 5.—G. G. Coote, Progressive, Macleod, asked the Minister of the Interior in the House today if the air force forest patrol in Alberta was to be carried on this year. Hon. Charles Stewart replied that arrangements would be made and the service carried on would be continued this year.

Vancouver's Strike

VANCOUVER, May 5.—There was no change in the carpenters' strike here today, union officials claiming that eighty per cent of the members are working. No negotiations have been undertaken by either side to reach a settlement, and the contractors reiterate their determination to oppose the five-day week demand.

Fashions and Foibles

By Shirley Shares

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The audience sees only the junior graduate, appropriately bouqueted, proudly diplomaed, beautifully gowned. It knows little of the waves of excitement dashing high beneath the outward and visible signs of poise that emanate from a French frock. White is the color, crepe de Chine, silk voile, georgette or taffeta are the silks, and cotton voile, cotton georgette or organdie the cottons appropriate for a commencement dress. If the school allows colors, the pastel shades or sweet pea tints are exquisite for this dress with frills of Valenciennes lace following the outline of the gathered skirt and ribbon rosettes, bow and ends.

RARE TALENT SHOWN AT ART EXHIBITION

Mrs. Potts' Water Colors and Portraits on View at Arts and Crafts Rooms

An art exhibition of unusual merit and interest is being held this week in the Arts and Crafts Rooms, Union Bank Building, where Mrs. C. M. Potts, of Lake Hill, is showing a representative collection of her work. The exhibition comprises a very wide range of subjects and treatment. There are portraits, water color sketches, still life groups, all executed with great feeling and a perfection of finish that characterizes all the work of this artist.

Notable among the water colors is one of Branscombe, Devon, which was exhibited at the Royal Academy a few years ago. "The Letter," a fine oil, won a silver medal in the national competition in England and in this same class is another portrait for which the author received the bronze medal.

The charm of rural England is shown in a number of water colors of most delicate workmanship. Among these are "Ham, Surrey," "Devonshire," "Somerset," "Billingshurst" and others. The artist has caught the spirit of the countryside in these typical sketches, some of which were done during the war and which, owing to strict Government regulations, the artist was unable to finish. But their charm is undeniable. The quiet rusticity of the "Berkshire Cottage" is delightful, and with equal skill she has portrayed the characteristics of the English farmer in a very beautiful oil painting.

Mrs. Potts is a rare representative of a school of oil portraiture which is very rarely seen outside great art centres, combining all the qualities of finely polished technique, sensitive perception of character, depth and masculine strength.

As though alive, the flowers in a number of unique studies stand out from their canvas. There is a group of lily of the valley and forget-me-nots, another of wallflowers with their deep velvety colorings, and a bowl of white roses in which the artist has again shown the hand of the great technician in attaining depth and life in a white medium.

Mrs. Potts was for several years a pupil teacher of the Lambeth School of Art in London and has done most of her work in England.

Mrs. M. Grute has a number of examples of her Kumtuks pottery which is well known and admired in Victoria. Among the pieces is a very lovely lamp standard and shade and a richly-colored vase.

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SCHEDULES READY FOR SUMMER SHOW

Gardeners Learn Hints on Rose Cultivation From Dr. W. P. Walker—Fine Display of Tulips

The Victoria and District Gardeners' Association held its regular monthly meeting at the City Hall, Tuesday evening, when members were favored with a visit from Dr. W. P. Walker, of the Oak Bay Rose Society, who addressed the Gardeners on Rose Culture.

Dr. Walker has been a keen and ardent rose grower for some years. He dealt with hybridizing and budding, these two being of considerable interest to all lovers of this popular flower. Intense pleasure could be derived from hybridizing, and wonderful results obtained.

Climatic conditions, said Dr. Walker, evidently were very favorable for their growing to perfection. Several varieties were named, which were of the highest quality for exhibition, and are quite failures in California. It also offers the finest opportunities for the ripening of seed pod for those who go in for hybridizing.

Dr. Walker was able to interest his audience with practical demonstrations of both hybridizing and budding, specimens being shown where budding had been done on various different stocks. The growing of new varieties had made great strides during the last few years, and the speaker gave to the meeting his choice of the first twelve varieties for show. Quite a number of questions were asked at the close of the speaker's address.

Native Flora Garden

Various matters of business were dealt with, including further progress dealing with the proposed garden to care for native plants. A communication was received from the City Council stating its willingness to set apart a portion of the grounds at Beacon Hill Park for this purpose.

The executive's report dealing with the Home Garden competition for this year, was adopted. This will be divided into two classes this year, to care for the smaller gardens.

Show Schedule

The schedules of the third annual Summer Show were distributed, which will again be held in the Crystal Garden, July 23 and 24, to coincide with the convention of the Pacific Coast Association of Nurserymen here.

Fine Tulips

What was a feature of the meeting, was an extraordinary display of tulips grown and exhibited by Mr. A. McKay, F. R. H. S., this consisting of over sixty new and named varieties. This won for the grower considerable praise from the many admirers. Appreciation of the Association was tendered Mr. McKay.

A large number of floral entries were seen in the competitive classes, as well as several entries of new potatoes and gooseberries, grown by members. The successful competitors in the competition were, A. McKay, 29 points; Mrs. Darcus, 26 points; H. W. Cooper, 24 points.

P. G. Lamb was elected to the vacant seat of the executive, caused by the resignation of Mr. F. Landsberg, through ill-health.

Beat Warden to Death

JOLIET, Ills., May 5.—Deputy Warden Peter Klein of the Statesville Penitentiary was beaten to death by seven convicts in a prison break today, the first escape from the great steel modern prison. The convicts escaped in an automobile, after leaving Klein in a cell.

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CHAPTER XXX

The old Duke rose to his feet and he and Mrs. Derwent stood facing each other.

"You say that you know who the man was who shot Rollo?" he asked excitedly; "that seems impossible."

"Nevertheless," answered Mrs. Derwent, "I will justify what I say. Tell me, Duke," she continued, "since your second son Hubert was killed in the war and his only child, the dear little Cecil, died only a few days ago, who is the person most concerned in the life or death of Rollo?"

The old Duke seemed amazed at the question and put his hand to his forehead.

"You astound me, Grace," he said. "But there can be only one answer to such a question. Why, Burnswayle, of course; but—"

Mrs. Derwent held up her hand.

"Please let me finish what I have to say, Richard; it is most important. Yes, as you say, Lord Burnswayle, the outcast from his family, is the person most interested in the life or death of Rollo; it means to him the succession to a Dukedom or—nothing. Is not that so?"

The Duke inclined his grey head.

"That is unfortunately so," he answered, "at present; but"—he gave a glance at Sybil—"I hope—"

Sybil understood his glance and replied with a woman's ever-ready signal—a very becoming blush.

Mrs. Derwent, however, waived this question aside.

"We have to do with present circumstances," she reminded the Duke; "circumstances which, in my opinion, have produced this tragedy."

"Why, you don't mean to say that Burnswayle—" began the Duke.

"I do mean to say it," repeated Mrs. Derwent. "I mean to say that Lord Burnswayle, disguised and with his skin darkened, shot Rollo last night. Listen to this.

"This child, Sybil, who at last—as I quite anticipated she would—got jealous of Rollo's long absences, two days ago found a letter from Viola to Rollo—and which he had dropped—asking him to go up and stay a week. Sybil was naturally very distressed, not knowing who Viola was, and followed Rollo's car to London on a motorcycle."

"On a motorcycle!" exclaimed the Duke in amazement.

"Yes, on a motorcycle and dressed as a boy," added Mrs. Derwent. "This is just what I prophesied would come of all this."

The fact of the Marchioness of Wyndhurst riding to London on a motorcycle, dressed as a boy, seemed to upset all the Duke's old-fashioned ideas of propriety.

"But, my dear," he reasoned, laying his hand on Sybil's deprecatingly, "there was really no necessity for such extreme measures. Poor Viola is the widow of my second boy who was killed in the war. She only a few days ago lost her only child Cecil, and the poor girl is quite distracted. She and her mother are very strictly proper ladies of Low Church tendencies, and they live together in the Cromwell Road.

"They are both very fond of Rollo—everybody is—and besides, he does not stay with them, he stays here at his official residence. But, my dear," continued the Duke, "boys' clothes, breeches—"

"Yes," out in Mrs. Derwent with a mischievous but loving glance at Sybil, "and I believe she has got them on now, under that skirt."

The Duke coughed. This last proposition of Mrs. Derwent seemed to him to overstep the bounds even of modern licence.

"I think, Grace," he said, "you were about to tell me something of Rollo's journey to London."

He concluded that his confidence in Grace Derwent's adherence to the old rules of propriety, the reinforced concrete of their order, had been misplaced.

"Yes," proceeded Mrs. Derwent, "I was about to tell you of the two men who followed Rollo to London yesterday; but perhaps Sybil can tell you more, as she saw it all."

The Duke, always an admirer of beauty in the opposite sex, beamed encouragingly upon his new-found daughter-in-law. His one fear was that she would introduce into her narrative incidents connected with her assumption of male attire.

"Proceed, my dear," he said, fixing in his right eye a monocle, through which it was stated at his club it was quite impossible for him to see anything; still the Duke adhered to this custom when conducting an inquiry which he considered of unusual importance. He wore it habitually when sitting as chairman of Quarter Sessions, and he was quite convinced that it exercised a salutory effect upon even the most hardened criminal.

"The first that I saw of the two men following Rollo," began Sybil, "was when we were passing through Lyndhurst. The car, which was a long grey touring car, came out of a side road and followed Rollo's car."

"Could you see the men in it?" asked the Duke.

"It was getting dark," replied Sybil, "and I could not see them very clearly. They appeared to me to be men of very dark skin."

"That is exactly what the police and the other persons who saw them, say," confirmed her father-in-law. "What happened then?"

"They followed Rollo's car at once, keeping at such a distance that they would not attract his attention. But they very soon became aware that I was following them."

"And what did they do?" Mrs. Derwent asked.

"Several times they slowed down as if they wished to speak to me," Sybil proceeded, "but I slowed down too, and so avoided them.

"When we reached Winchester, I shot ahead and passed them and Rollo too. Even then they shouted and tried to stop me, but I took no notice. I found that Rollo's car was stopping at the hotel in Winchester, so I stopped there."

"You alighted from your car," suggested the Duke, "and awaited events?"

"No," corrected Sybil, "I got off my motorcycle."

The Duke held up his hand.

"For the purposes of this narrative," he suggested, "let us assume that you were riding in your motor car." It jarred upon the old man's nerves that a Marchioness of Wyndhurst should be jumping on and off a motorcycle in a public thoroughfare.

"And what next?" he asked.

"I followed Rollo to London and lost him in the Strand when a policeman held me up and let Rollo's and the long grey car pass through. I raced round by the Embankment, hoping to cut them off at Charing Cross, but missed them. I pushed—"

"Not your motor car, at Charing Cross too?" asked the Duke.

Sybil smiled.

"No," she replied, "I got off my motorcycle and pushed it through the crowd."

There was a knock at the door and the nurse entered.

"Sir Rupert Henslowe," she announced.

A brisk little gentleman, clean-shaved and middle-aged, quickly entered the room and extended his hand to the Duke.

"My dear Henslowe," said the latter. "I am delighted to see you. We have been waiting most anxiously to hear your opinion. But let me introduce you to my daughter-in-law, Lady Wyndhurst. Mrs. Derwent you already know."

The doctor looked rather surprised, but bowed low to Sybil.

"The fact of the matter is," continued the Duke, knowing full well that he was adopting the best means of making public his son's marriage, for he was aware it would be all over London in half an hour. "The fact of the matter is that Wyndhurst has been married, with my full knowledge and consent, but for certain valid reasons connected with his political life the event has not, up till now, been made public. Now it can be made known to all the world."

"May I be permitted," said the little doctor, extending his hand to Sybil, "to offer you, Lady Wyndhurst, my sincere felicitations."

Sybil shook hands with him and then asked anxiously:

"What is your opinion of my husband's condition?"

"Better; decidedly better," was the answer.

"And may I see him?" Sybil asked.

The doctor looked solemn.

"You, Lady Wyndhurst," he replied, "and the Duke may see him, but for the present no one else."

"And may I go in now?" she asked.

"Certainly," he answered in his brisk way. "Why not come with me?"

He placed his arm on hers and led her to the door of Rollo's room. There was a little hurried conversation between him and the two nurses, and then the latter came out.

"Now," said the doctor, "go and see your husband, but don't excite him more than you can help."

He threw open the door, and Sybil saw Rollo try to rise in the bed and extend his arms to her.

"Darling!" he said, faintly.

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CHILDREN'S PET SHOW TO BE HELD SATURDAY

Every Child Exhibitor Will Receive a Green Ribbon for Kindness to Animals

Arrangements are now being completed for the Children's Pet Show to be held under the auspices of the S. P. C. A. at the Weller Building, Humboldt Street, on Saturday.

Animals should be arriving by nine in the morning and all be in their places by eleven o'clock. The judging will take place in the forenoon, and by one o'clock the public is invited to view the show.

Many interesting pets will be shown, the majority being dogs, cats, rabbits and chickens. There will also be parrots, canaries, turtles and other animal friends. And there will be a bear.

Bruno is a small black bear, very playful and full of mischief. He is three months old and was taken from a cave on the Jordan River. He belongs to Mrs. Johnson at 3000 Douglas Street.

Every child exhibitor will receive a green ribbon for kindness to animals; blue and red ribbons will signify highest awards and there will be some special prizes given. Exhibitors will be admitted free; the public will be charged 10 cents.

The prizes for the S.P.C.A. drawing competition and special prizes for the Pet Show will be given at a social evening at Harmony Hall, Fort Street, on Saturday evening, May 15.

Fashion Fancies

By Marie Belmont

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At the Playhouses

TOM MIX IS STAR AT COLUMBIA THIS WEEK

"The Everlasting Whisper" Thrilling Tale of Battle for Fortune and a Girl

"The Everlasting Whisper," starring Tom Mix, which opens a three-day engagement at the Columbia Theatre today, is, beyond question, one of the finest Mix pictures that has ever reached the screen.

First of all, "The Everlasting Whisper" has a story that is unusual, written by Jackson Gregory, who is conceded to be one of America's foremost writers of Western fiction. It is a tale of the rugged Northwest, where the everlasting whisper of the breeze through tall, stately pines, draws strong men into the hills and enchants them. In this setting there is enacted a thrilling tale of a battle for fortune and a girl—a girl who has to be tamed like a tigress.

Then there's the cast. Alice Calhoun, known as the orchid of the screen, plays the feminine lead opposite Mix. As the city-bred society girl, suddenly thrown into the rigors of the wilderness, she is in beautiful contrast to her rugged surroundings, and her dramatic performance leaves nothing to be desired. Robert Cain is the villain—and a thoroughly hatable one.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE No more will picture fans be able to call Irene Rich the "screen's most neglected wife," after seeing her in her current Warner picture, "The Pleasure Buyers," at the Playhouse Theatre. She has probably played more neglected wife roles than any other actress in the films, appearing opposite Monte Blue in "Lucretia Lombard," Huntly Gordon in "My Wife and I," John Barrymore in "Beau Brummel," Bert Lytell in "Eve's Lover," and William Louis in "The Man Without a Conscience." But in this film version of the Arthur Somers Roche novel, she is far from having a neglected wife characterization, for she plays the most popular young woman in a gay set of spenders at Palm Beach.

COLISEUM THEATRE Getting laughs is an art, or more especially a combination of arts—those of playright, producer and actors in intelligent co-operation. In "Sick Abed," the members of the Coliseum Company are in their element. This well constructed, three-act farce never lets up for a moment, it's just laughs all the way. The two funny doctors (played by Will Marshall and W. Tayler) get deeper and deeper into trouble only to be saved by the quick wit of the pretty day nurse (Gertrude Burton) who is a match for the two rather muddled practitioners and for the smart city specialist as well.

CAPITOL THEATRE Finding an actress who fitted the role of Sandy in the Fox screen version of Elenore Meherin's great newspaper serial now showing at the Capitol Theatre, was one of the most difficult problems that ever confronted a movie director. It wasn't alone a question of beauty—Sandy, as conceived by the author, was a dynamic flapper, and the chief essentials for the part were pep and personality. After weeks of endless debate, it was finally decided to entrust the role to Madge Bellamy. Although it is radically different from any part she has ever played, she met every requirement. Harry Beaumont, the director, sighed happily after the first scene had been taken, and congratulated the little actress heartily. An additional attraction at the Capitol Theatre this week is Tex Howard and his orchestra in a programme of popular Irish melodies.

DOMINION THEATRE What an actor fears most is told by Charles Emmett Mack, Norma Shearer's leading man in "The Devil's Circus," the first American production of the Danish director, Benjamin Christianson, now playing at the Dominion Theatre. "My greatest professional fears," says Mack, "are babies and dogs." Whenever I am in a scene where a baby or a dog is also playing I know they will steal all the interest. Believe me, an actor certainly has to work to keep up the interest in himself when such interesting actors are shrsing the screen with him.

Distinct Novelty in George White's Scandals At Royal on May 14

There is a distinct touch of novelty in the sixth edition of George White's "Scandals" which will be seen at the Royal Victoria Theatre on Friday and Saturday, May 14 and 15. Gorgeous coloring and lavish detail are given in the scenes of "Year After Year," in which a picture of a radiant bride is followed by successive views of her on the silver, golden and diamond anniversaries: "Araby," "A Garden," "Mah Jong," an oddly picturesque bit of Chinese flavor; "Rose of Madrid," with its brilliant shawl and fan setting; and "The Land of Congo." The Company numbers approximately one hundred players.

AMUSEMENTS

The Screen

Capitol—"Sandy," with Madge Bellamy.

Columbia—Lilyan Tashman in "Rocking Moon."

Dominion—Norma Shearer in "The Devil's Circus."

The Stage

Coliseum—"Sick a-Bed."

Playhouse—"Red Hot Henry Brown."

PRINCESSES APPEAR AT CRYSTAL GARDEN

Candidates for Victoria Day Crown Make Debut—16th Canadian Scottish Band Enjoyed

The five candidates for the title of Queen of the Victoria Day celebration were last night honored guests at the Crystal Garden, where they went immediately after their introduction to the public from the platform of the Capitol Theatre. They were again introduced at the Crystal Garden, and were acclaimed as being all most happy choices of the judges of the queen contest, while it was generally agreed that the result of the voting for a festival queen was entirely impossible to foretell, so difficult was it to make a preference among them.

The large crowds of people who attended the Crystal Garden both for swimming and dancing last night were given the pleasure not only of seeing the princesses together in their official capacity, but also of hearing the excellent playing of the 16th Battalion Canadian Scottish Band, conducted by Bandmaster J. M. Miller. The selections given were chosen with a view to pleasing every taste, as they included popular and jazz melodies, military and classical music.

Piccolo Soloist Applauded

The clever playing of Bandsman Jones, piccolo soloist, was highly applauded, being a notable demonstration of difficult technique, well mastered.

The five princesses enjoyed the dancing, which followed the band concert, for a while before proceeding to Radio Station CFCT, where they broadcast their addresses and got in touch with a wider audience.

The city appears to have caught the spirit of enthusiasm over the queen contest campaign, and the respective badges for Canada, England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales are selling rapidly.

Carnival Spirit Prevails

Citizens out in the city streets last night were cheered by the sound of the bagpipes played in honor of Scotland's candidate, while here and there was heard the whistling of "When Irish Eyes Are Smiling." Knowing the old proverb that "Taffy is a thief," the police were observed to take careful watch last night, for fear the candidate for Wales would steal all hearts away. Finally, a rumor got under way that England and Canada had declared war in the interests of their representatives competing for the crown of Queen of the Victoria Day celebration.

CANADIAN TENOR TO HELP SCHUBERT CLUB

Mr. Walter Bates to Assist at Forthcoming Recital to Be Given at High School

Undoubtedly the Schubert Club has made an exceptional choice in the selection of Mr. Walter Bates, well known Canadian tenor, to assist it in its forthcoming recital to be given in the High School auditorium on Tuesday. Mr. Bates will sing two selected groups of songs and will be accompanied by Miss Marjorie Broley at the piano.

In the portion of the programme to be given by the Schubert Club there will be a well contrasted variety of composition. The first, a sacred group, will include the two test selections for the musical festival, in which the ladies hope to participate, if the Victoria public gives this recital its generous support.

Tennyson's poem, "The Lady of Shallott," will be read by Miss Gladys Farnell, of the B.C. Dramatic School, prior to the choir's singing of the same set in cantata form, by Wilfred Bendall. Mrs. A. W. Stokes will take the soprano solos in this beautiful composition. The poem opens with four stanzas which are descriptive of the beautiful scene where the river flows down by Shalott and the fairy lady sits at the castle window.

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Bachelors of Bruce County Cause Worry

TORONTO, May 4.—The "Star" in an editorial, confesses that it is worried over "The Bachelors of Bruce County."

"It is to be hoped that the report of Dr. Jameson's committee on rural conditions in Ontario will throw some light on the mystery as to what's the matter with Eldersile and why so many of her farmers do not marry. The population of the township is 1,573. This year the assessor made a list of the bachelors and widowers and found that there are 196 of them between the ages of twenty-one and sixty. There are others, of course, over that age. This number of unmarried men in a farming community—nearly two hundred in a total population of 1,573 is surprisingly high. The farms of Eldersile seem to be, too many of them, given over to grass for pasture, and the farm-houses, too many of them, are the dwellings of bachelors. The school attendance dwindles year by year.

"The modern girl is fond of sports," says a health expert. Yes, especially if they have plenty of cash.

Hiker Manufacturing Company Increases Machinery Equipment

Recently it was announced that extensive improvements were contemplated in the equipment of the Hiker Manufacturing Company's plant here.

It was announced by the management yesterday that a considerable quantity of this equipment had arrived, the machinery, including sixty feet of two-inch roller bearing shafting, a cut-off saw, one panel twenty-four inch planer, pulleys and hangers, a motor capable of thirty horse-power, and other essentials. Further shipments are expected shortly.

Hostess: "Mr. Macpherson, would you like something Scotch—the 'real' thing?"

Macpherson: "Well, that's awfully good of you—"

Hostess: "Of course you would. Mary, bring out that pot of Dundee marmalade."

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Today's Specials in the Drug Section

Milk of Magnesia, 50c value, 39¢
Glycerine Suppositories, long Special at 28¢
California Fig Syrup 49¢
Nestle's Food, 85c value 73¢
Guerlain Toilet Soap, $1.00 value, for 69¢
Guerlain Shaving Stick, $1.00 value 69¢
Face Cream, flesh color, 75c value 63¢
Perfume, D'Orsay and Guerlain, 50c value 33¢
Old English Potpourri, 85c value 63¢
Mon Trefle Face Powder (French). Special at 35¢
Williams' Talcum Powder, 25c value 18¢
Mum, 40c value 33¢
Gibbs' Bathlets, 35c Tablets, 3 for 87¢
Gibbs' Football Soap, 20c value, 2 for 29¢
Pears' Glycerine Balls Soap, 35c value, 2 for 57¢
Gibbs' Carbolic Soap, 50c value, for 43¢
Lavender Smelling Salts, 60c value 48¢
Piver's Perfume, ½-oz. fancy bottle 63¢
Piver's Lip Pencils, 35c value, for 23¢
Leather Vanity Kit (mirror, manicuring article and papier poudre), $1.00 value 69¢
Cutex Cuticle Remover, 35c value 20¢
Listerine Tooth Paste, 25c value, for 19¢
Sanitary Tooth Brushes, extra hard bristles 43¢
—Drug Dept., Main Floor, H.B.C.

Big Bargains in Wear-Ever

Wear-Ever Double Boilers, 2-quart size. Regular $2.25. Sale Price $1.49
Wear-Ever Potato Pots. Regular $1.80. Sale Price $1.39
Wear-Ever Lipped Saucepans. Regular 77c and 86c. Sale Prices, 69¢ and 60c
Wear-Ever Tea Kettles. Regular $4.40. Sale Price $3.59
—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Special One-Day Selling of Hams and Bacon

At Anniversary Sale Prices

These special offerings for today represent our usual high-grade qualities. As the low prices quoted will prevail for one day only, we advise our customers to order without delay.

Sugar-Cured Sides of Breakfast Bacon
Weighing from 10 to 12 lbs., half or whole side, per lb. 39c

Prime Quality Mild Canadian Cheese, per lb. 28c Today Only

Finest Quality Peameal Back Bacon
Weighing from 8 to 10 lbs, half or whole, per lb. 40c

Finest Quality Mild Cured Hams
Lean, and sweet, weighing from 10 to 12 lbs; half or whole, per lb. 34c

Sale Specials in Groceries

Heinz Pure Tomato Ketchup, large bottle 20¢
Dainty Date Butter, in jars. Each 25¢
Robin Hood Rapid Cooking Oats, large package 22¢
Shelled Walnuts, finest Manchurian dry cracked, lb. 35¢ 3 lbs. for $1.00
Drysdale's Rum and Coffee, a new importation. Per bottle 50¢ and 85¢
Van Houten's Cocoa, in bulk; same as in tins, at half the price. Per lb. 52¢
Benson's Prepared Corn Starch, 2 packages for 25¢
Harry Horne's Double Cream Custard Powder, 1-lb. tin, 35¢
Procter & Gamble's Soap Deal, comprising 12 pieces of soap and washing powder, with a white enamel dish pan. Value $2.35. All for $1.45
Del Monte Brand Dri-Pak Prunes. Special, per tin, 83¢
Hero Brand Pure Raspberry Jam, packed in Holland. A few tins left at, per tin 78¢
—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Fresh Meat and Fish Specials for Today's Shoppers

Fresh Fowl, per lb. 35¢
Local Veal, shoulders, lb., 28¢
Loins of Veal, per lb. 38¢
Fillets of Veal, per lb. 40¢
Breasts and Necks of Veal, per lb. 20¢
Spring Lamb, legs, per lb., 45¢
Spring Lamb, loins, per lb. 45¢
Shoulders of Lamb, whole, per lb. 33¢
Corned Beef Tongue, lb., 33¢
Corned Silverside, per lb., 25¢
Corned Rumps, per lb. 22¢
Pickled Side Pork, per lb., 28¢
Dry Salt Pork, per lb. 28¢
Finnan Haddie, per lb. 20¢
Golden Ray Fillets, per lb. 25¢
—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Hundreds of New Shirts

(Many With Separate Collars)

At the Special Low Price of

$1.98

Made from fine woven colored madras as well as the popular Bedford cord and crepe fabrics. Shown in plain shades, also smart stripe effects. Tailored skirts with shrunk neckbands, double cuffs and coat style; sizes 14 to 16½. Sale price, each $1.98

Men's Spring Weight Combinations $1.39 a Suit

Spring weight garments in soft finished cotton. Union suits that will give the maximum of wear and wash without shrinking; ankle length and short sleeves; sizes 34 to 44. Sale price, $1.39
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

1,000 Pairs of Men's Fancy Cashmere Hose at 69c a Pair

Finest Quality All-Wool Cashmere Hose, in fancy check and stripe designs, in grey, fawn, black and brown; made with reinforced heels and toes. Sizes 9½ to 11½. Sale Price, per pair 69¢
2 pairs for $1.35

Men's Khaki Trousers, $1.39 a Pair

Made from serviceable quality khaki twill, with belt loops, pockets and cuff bottoms; double sewn throughout. Sizes 32 to 44 waist. Sale Price, per pair $1.39
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Men's Tweed Caps at 49c Each

One-Piece Tweed Caps, in medium and light shades, lined with good quality cotton. Sizes 6⅝ to 7¼. Sale Price 49¢
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Boys' Khaki Twill Suits, $1.79

Heavy khaki twill suits consisting of shorts, waist with sports collar and straight knickers. Sizes 5 to 14 years. Sale Price $1.79
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Sale Prices on Chesterfield Suites

Three-Piece Chesterfield Suite
Covered with good quality tapestry in attractive pattern, consists of Chesterfield and two chairs with deep spring backs and cushion seats. Sale Price, complete $175.00
$17.50 Cash, balance in nine monthly payments

Chesterfield Suite
Three-piece suite in taupe mohair with figured mohair on seats and backs, deep spring seats with loose spring cushions. Regular $275.00. Sale Price, complete $235.00
$23.50 Cash, balance in nine monthly payments

Blue Mohair Chesterfield Suite
A well-made suite covered with fine quality blue mohair with cushions in contrasting color. Sale Price, complete $229.50
$22.95 Cash, balance in nine monthly payments

Three-Piece Chesterfield Suite
With loose spring cushions and deep spring backs, covered with good quality figured mohair in blue or taupe shades. Sale Price, complete $225.00
$22.50 Cash, balance in nine monthly payments
—4th Floor, H.B.C.

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Silverware Bargains

Values to $5.95 for $3.95

Choose from any of the following articles:
Silver-Mounted Glass Salad Bowls, with servers:
Silver-Mounted Pyrex Pie Plates.
Engraved Silver Sandwich Plates.
Silver-Plated Roll Trays.
Silver-Plated Cake Baskets.
Silver-Plated Sugars and Creams.
Silver-Mounted Glass Butter Dishes.
Tall Shape Silver-Plated Pepper and Salt Shakers.
—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

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Special Values for Cigar Smokers

Benson & Hedge's Havana Cigars. Regular 15c straight cigars at 3 for ..... 35¢

La Rosa Cigars. Special value at 4 for ..... 23¢

Black Fox Cigars, in tins of 50, for $2.29

Special Havana Cigars, Perfecto Claro. Box of 25, $3.50 value, for $3.27
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Anniversary Sale Now in Progress—Bargains in Every Department

Bargains Here for Art Needle-workers

Unbleached Cotton Aprons
Practical style, with bib ties and pockets, in three effective designs. Sale Price is ..... 39¢

Huck Towels
In striped effect; several good designs to choose from; ends stamped for buttonholing or hemstitched for crochet. Sale Price, 2 for ..... 79¢

36-Inch Tea Cloths
With four serviettes to match, stamped on good quality Indian Head; three designs in French knot, lazy daisy and running stitch. Sale Price ..... 89¢

Buffet Scarves
18 by 45, stamped to match tea cloths. Sale Price, 49¢
—Mezzanine Floor, H.B.C.

New Draperies Underpriced

Cretonnes
A table of select Cretonnes offered at this special low price; shown in a wonderful selection of attractive designs. Values to 65c. Sale Price, per yard ..... 45¢

Cream Drapery Silk
Beautiful Soft Spun Silk in cream shade, 36 inches wide; ideal for drapes. Sale Price, per yard ..... 75¢

Shadowette Cretonnes
50 inches wide, reversible fabrics, in a wide selection of colorings. Sale Price, per yard ..... 75¢

Casement Cloths
English Casement Cloth, 50 inches wide, and suitable for draw curtains as well as dresses. Values to 98c. Sale Price, per yard ..... 69¢
—3rd Floor, H.B.C.

Low Prices Now on Rugs

English Reversible Wool Rugs
Particularly suitable for bedrooms; heavy pile and seamless Rugs in neat patterns.
Size 6 by 9. Sale Price, $28.50
Size 9 by 10-6. Sale, $47.50
Size 9 by 12. Sale Price, $57.50

Brussels Rugs
Remarkably good Rugs for hard wear; shown in good colorings and designs.
Size 4-6 by 7-6. Sale, $11.50
Size 6-9 by 9. Sale $22.50
Size 9 by 10-6. Sale $35.00
Size 9 by 12. Sale $37.50

Seamless Tapestry Rugs
Closely Woven Seamless Rugs of British manufacture; many rich colorings and designs to select from. Size 6-9 by 9. Values to $21.00. Sale, $16.75

Morton's Sundour Wash Rugs
Guaranteed Fast Color Rugs, in rose and blue shades; ideal for bedrooms and bathrooms. Size 33 inches by 6 feet. Regular $10.50. Sale Price $8.50
—3rd Floor, H.B.C.

Are You Furnishing?

If so, you'll be glad to know of the very special bargains now being offered in our Furniture Department. The following are some of the outstanding offerings in Dining-Room Suites, any of which you may purchase on our easy payment plan, 10% cash, balance in nine monthly amounts.

8-Piece Oak Dining-Room Suite
Shown in two-tone English brown finish; consists of long buffet, oblong extension table and set of six chairs. Regular $210.00. Sale Price, complete $175.00
$17.50 cash, balance in nine monthly payments.

9-Piece Walnut Dining-Room Suite
Consisting of long low buffet, china cabinet, oblong extension table and set of six chairs; neat designs, with turned and fluted legs. Regular $217.00. Sale Price, complete $185.00
$18.50 cash, balance in nine monthly payments.

8-Piece Walnut Dining-Room Suite
An exceptionally well finished suite, consisting of buffet, oblong extension table, and set of six chairs with slip seats in blue leather. Regular $225.00. Sale Price, complete $165.00
$16.50 cash, balance in nine monthly payments.
—4th Floor, H.B.C.

Smart Porch Dresses

Values to $4.50 for $2.98

When you see these becoming Porch Frocks you'll want to buy more than one of them. Shown in a wide variety of colorings and styles, in novelty checks, spots and floral designs. Some with long, roll collars, others with small collar and neat revers. Quite a number are hand embroidered. Choice of plain and flared skirts; colors include peach, rose, tan, sax, mauve and green. Values to $4.50. Anniversary special

$2.98

Kitchen Aprons for 69c

Made from neat check gingham; good size with bib and patch pocket. Shown in pink, mauve, orange, green, black and white checks. Sale price ..... 69¢
—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

Women's Cardigans

Values to $5.95 for $3.98

Shown in plain or brushed wool, with or without collars; also a few with high necks; all smart styles, in shades of henna, brown, scarlet, camel, grey and navy. Values to $5.95. Sale Price, $3.98
—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

Broadcloth Blouses

Values to $5.50 for $3.98

Strictly tailored style, with boyish, tuxedo and pointed collars, long sleeves with buttoned cuffs; shown in orchid, orange, tan and white. Values to $5.50. Sale Price, $3.98
—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

Women's Khaki Overalls

Bib styles, with two large pockets and adjustable ankle straps. Value $2.29. Sale price **$1.89**
—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

Corsets and Brassieres

At Anniversary Reductions

D & A Corsets
Made of firm pink coutil, with low top, medium length skirt, lightly honed. Also the popular low elastic top model, suitable for hip confiner. Sizes 22 to 30. Price, 98¢

Gossard Front-Lacing Corsets
Also Nemo Back-Lacing Corsets, suitable for full, average and slender types. Non-lacing girdles made of lovely broche, with panels of surgical webbing. Not all sizes in any one style; 22 to 32. Sale Price, $3.98

Bandeau Brassieres
Suitable for average types. Made of silk striped batiste, with elastic adjustment in back. Sizes 32 to 40. Sale Price ..... 69¢

Brassieres
In white and flesh. The pink model is suitable for the average figure requiring long garment to meet the low topped corset, front or back fastening, while the other cares for that type of figure requiring diaphragm control; back-fastening only. Sizes 32 to 42. Sale Price ..... 89¢
—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

Buy Your Golf Clubs Today and Save Money

Hoylake Special Clubs
All wood and iron clubs in various models. Sale Price, each $2.25

St. Andrews Wood and Iron Clubs
Expert golfers tell us these are the best. Sale Price, each $3.50

Anderson's Stainless Steel Clubs
More and more golfers are buying stainless clubs. These are beautifully made and balanced. Sale Price $6.50

Wonderful Prices on Steel Shafted Clubs
Made by Anderson & Sons, Scotland; three models to choose from. Sale Prices, $6.50, $7.50 and $8.50

Odd Clubs to Clear
Wood and iron clubs, regular $5.50 for $3.95
Regular $6.50 for $4.95
—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Sale Specials From the Baggage Section

Round Style Hat Cases
With fancy lining and two shirred pockets. Regular $8.25. Sale Price $6.95

Leather Suitcases
With extra leather binding, outside straps.
24-Inch, regular $15.75. Sale Price $13.75
26-Inch, regular $17.50. Sale Price $14.75

Women's Silk-Lined Overnight Cases
20 and 24-Inch. Sale Prices, $9.95 and $11.75

Club Bags
Brown Leather Club Bags with leather lining. Three sizes, 16, 18 and 20-inch.
16 and 18-Inch. Sale $9.95
20-Inch. Sale Price $10.95

School or Lunch Cases
50 Only to clear, 12 and 14-inch. Regular $1.10. Sale Price ..... 98¢
—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Many New Hats Added Daily to Our Stock

Just as fast as hats are selling new hats take their place. Every table in our Millinery Section shows a specially priced group for this sale.

$2.79 Special for Today

These are hats taken from our regular stock selling at $3.95, $4.95 and $5.95. Included are novelty straws, combinations of ribbon and straws, silk and straw and other smart styles. Special for today $2.79
—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

Bargains in Women's Scarves

Rayon Silk Scarves
Shown in dropstitch, two-tone effects, striped and novelty block styles, finished at ends with silk fringe. Choose from Copenhagen, orchid, jade, henna, silver, Pekin, rose, fawn, navy, black and white. Values to $3.95. Sale Price $1.59

Shetland Wool Scarves
Extra long and good width, finished with scalloped borders. Shown in self and two-tone colorings; also heavy quality silk scarves in Oriental designs. Values to $4.95. Sale Price $2.98

Crepe de Chine Scarves
In a good assortment of new colors. Shown in floral, conventional and spot designs; also georgette handkerchief scarves in all-over designs with 4-inch plain border. Values to $6.50. Sale Price $3.98

Cashmere Scarves
Finished at ends with fringe. Shown in colors of peach, red, brown, grey, maize, jade; also in striped effects. Regular $6.75. Sale Price $4.49
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

A Special in Ribbons

Novelty Ribbons in stripes and two-tone effects, corded ribbon in checks with contrasting metallic edge; also crepe lingerie ribbon in pink, sky, mauve and white; from ½ to 2 inches wide. Regular 35c. Sale Price, per yard ..... 5¢
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Patent Leather Strap Shoes for Girls

Patent Leather One-Strap Sandal Shoes, with stitched flexible leather soles and low rubber heels. Sizes 10 to 2 and 2½ to 7. Sale Price, per pair $1.95
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Anniversary Offerings From the Linen Section

Save a Dollar on Linen Tablecloths
100 Pure Snow White Linen Tablecloths in three sizes, all woven in popular designs.
Size 72 by 72. Sale Price $4.98
Size 72 by 90. Sale Price $5.98
Size 72 by 108. Sale Price $6.98

Savings in Table Damask by the Yard

Unbleached Damask
Woven from linen and cotton mixed yarns; 54 and 58 inches wide. Sale Price, per yard ..... 79¢ and ..... 89¢

Pure Linen Unbleached Damask
68 Inches wide. Sale Price, per yard $1.59

Mercerized Cotton Damask
54, 58 and 70 Inches wide. Sale Price, per yard ..... 69¢, 79¢ and ..... 98¢

Pure Linen Bleached Damask
72 Inches wide. Sale Price, per yard $1.98

Bleached Linen Damask
Slightly imperfect in weave, 81 inches wide. Sale Price, per yard $2.39

Roller and Glass Towellings at Reductions

Union Roller Towelling
15 Inches wide. Sale Price, per yard ..... 15¢

Linen Roller Towelling
16 and 17 Inches wide. Sale Price, per yard ..... 19¢ and 25¢

Union Check Glass Towelling
22 Inches wide. Sale Price, per yard ..... 26¢

Pure Linen Roller Towels
All ready to hang on the roller, 2½ yards long. Sale Price, 59¢

Pure Linen Table Napkins
75 Dozen only to clear. $7.95 value. Sale Price, doz. $4.98
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Three Big Groups of Women's Spring Coats

At $12.95, $15.95 and $29.95

Tweed and Velour Coats Reduced to $12.95 Each
Tailored from good quality tweeds and velour in plain checks and fancy mixture effects. Semi-tailored and mannish models with loose swing backs or slight flare. Plain tailored sleeves and new collars. Well lined. Sizes 16 to 40. Sale Price **$12.95**

New Tweed Sports Coats for $15.95
Smart and serviceable coats for general wear. Tailored from good quality tweed in mannish style with plain tailored collars and sleeves, single and double-breasted models, half and full lined. Shown in fawn, brown, grey and tan mixtures. Sizes 16 to 40. Sale Price **$15.95**

Women's and Misses' Dress Coats
Values to $49.50 for $29.95
Superbly tailored coats made from charmeen, Poiret twill and rep materials. The newest styles are shown in flare and straight line effects, some with pleats at sides of skirts; new collars and sleeves with fancy cuffs or puff, handsomely trimmed with embroidery, bands of self material, metal stitching, applique designs, piping, etc. Beautifully lined with silk crepe, broche or satin. Choose from fuchsia, almond green, henna, periwinkle, orchid, cocoa and sand. Sizes 16 to 40. Sale Price **$29.95**

Strictly Tailored Sports Suits Reduced to $17.95

Boyish Tailored Sports Suits, with double-breasted or linked button coats, some with pleated backs and belt at waist; others are unbelted and have slightly fitting backs. They are made with plain tailored collars and sleeves; knee-length skirts. Shown in fawn, grey, blue and sand mixtures; sizes 16 to 42. Sale price $17.95
—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

1,000 Yards New Wool Fabrics

For Spring Frocks, Suits and Coats

Choose from 54-Inch Novelty Stripes and Plaid Flannels, 38-Inch Armure in colors, 38-Inch Wool Poplins in colors, 38-Inch Novelty Crepes and 42-Inch Navy Serges. Values to $2.50. Sale Price, per yard **98c**

The Limit

There is, of course, an economic limit to value. To deliver more is unprofitable business; to deliver less may reveal bad judgment or morality, as the case may be.

So far as concerns Glasses, we make this definite statement: The limit of good value will always be found in our Eyeglasses.

Double Vision Lenses, complete. Sale Price $11.20
—Mezzanine Floor, H.B.C.

Silks and Wash Fabrics

At Decided Savings

Printed Voiles and Novelty Striped Crepes
A large collection of the newest designs and color combinations in this offering of printed voiles and novelty striped crepes; 36 and 40 inches wide. Values to $1.25. Sale Price, per yard ..... 59¢

Natural Pongee, 49c a Yard
Clear natural color and ideal weight for dresses, blouses, lingerie, shirts, etc.; 33 inches wide. Sale Price, per yard ..... 49¢

Standard Quality Spun Silk, 87c a Yard
Suitable weight for dresses, blouses and lingerie. Shown in all the wanted colors. Sale Price, yard, 87¢

Printed Silk Crepes
Very popular this season for dresses and blouses. The designs and color combinations are excellent; 36 inches wide. Regular $1.50. Sale Price, per yard ..... 98¢

Bordered Silk Crepes
1¾ to 2 Yards makes the dress. Choose from many beautiful color combination effects; 52 inches wide. Sale Price, per yard $1.98

Printed Georgettes and Crepe de Chine
Beautiful designs and exquisite color combinations for dresses, scarves and blouses; 40 inches wide. Sale Price, per yard $2.39
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Men's "Astoria" Shoes Values to $10.00 for $6.95

High-Grade Oxfords, made by Canada's leading shoe manufacturer. Shown in black gunmetal calf, black velour calf, London tan and light tan calf; Blucher and Balmoral styles, with single and double Goodyear welted soles. All sizes. Sale Price, per pair $6.95
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

MORNING SPECIALS

On Sale Today Only From 9 A.M. to 1 P.M.

Mill Ends of Bleached Sheeting, Values to 85c, for 39c a Yard
Shown in lengths of one to four yards, and weights for sheets, pillow cases and other purposes; 68 and 72 inches wide. Morning Special, 9 to 1, per yard 39c
No Phone or Mail Orders, Please
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

White Turkish Bath Towels, Value 69c, for 39c Each
Slightly imperfect in weave, but not enough to affect the wear; closely woven pile. Size 24 by 48. Value 69c. Not more than six to a customer. Morning Special, 9 to 12, each 39c
No Phone or Mail Orders, Please
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

200 Princess Slips at 98c Each
Made from good quality taffetine, with hemstitched top and strap shoulders. Shown in sand, powder blue, pink, peach and white. Value $1.50. Morning Special, 9 to 1 ..... 98c
No Phone or Mail Orders, Please
—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

100 Girls' Pleated Skirts at $1.49 Each
Made from good quality navy serge, well pleated, and attached to white cotton bodice. Sizes 6 to 14 years. Value $2.50. Morning Special, 9 to 1 ..... $1.49
No Phone or Mail Orders, Please
—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

Pearl Necklets, Special, 29c
Nicely Graded Pearl Necklets, strung on bead silk and finished with silver clasp; 24 and 30-inch strings. Values to $1.25. Morning Special, 9 to 1 ..... 29c
No Phone or Mail Orders, Please
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

300 Yards of Printed Linoleum at 75c Per Square Yard
A special offering that calls for early shopping. Canadian and imported qualities, in a big selection of designs. Regular 95c. Morning Special, 9 to 1, per square yard 75c
No Phone or Mail Orders, Please
—3rd Floor, H.B.C.

600 Yards of Scotch Madras at 25c a Yard
The price itself is sufficient to show that this is a really wonderful bargain, and in order to participate in it you will have to shop early.
Good Quality Scotch Madras, on cream ground, in a nice selection of patterns; 36 inches wide. Regular 35c. Morning Special, per yard 25c
No Phone or Mail Orders, Please
—3rd Floor, H.B.C.

Men's and Boys' Rubber Belts at 15c Each
Patent Buckle Belts, in grey, black and brown rubber composition. Sizes for men and boys. Morning Special, 9 to 1, each 15c
No Phone or Mail Orders, Please
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Men's Bib and Pant Overalls, $1.69
Big Horn Brand Overalls, made from heavy black denim, in bib and pant style. Sizes 32 to 44 waist. Morning Special, 9 to 1 ..... $1.69
No Phone or Mail Orders, Please
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Men's White Canvas Outing Boots, 95c
White Bleached Canvas Outing Boots, with crepe rubber soles and spring heels. Sizes 6 to 11. Morning Special, 9 to 1, per pair 95c
No Phone or Mail Orders, Please
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Boys' Outing Oxfords, 75c
Black Canvas Oxfords, with black diamond rubber soles. Sizes 1 to 5. Morning Special, 9 to 1, pair 75c
No Phone or Mail Orders, Please
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Genuine Gillette Razors, 79c
25 only. Genuine Gillette Razors, gilt finish, each in rigid metal case. Morning Special 79c
No Phone or Mail Orders, Please
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

Bakers and Clubmen to Meet in Soccer Finals

Hayward Cup Will Be at Stake When Teams Meet Next Wednesday—Rennie & Taylors Win Right by Polishing Off Garrison

Rennie & Taylors and the Tillicums will meet in the finals for the Hayward Cup next Wednesday. This was decided yesterday when the bakers polished off the Garrison at the Royal Athletic Park in the semi-final match by a score of 2 to 1. The game was a mediocre exhibition of soccer and was witnessed by a small crowd.

The winners showed superiority in both halves and outclassed the Garrison representatives in all departments of the game. Rennie & Taylors secured both of their counters in the opening stanza and never extended themselves in the second half. The Tommies' lone counter came about five minutes before the final whistle, when they commenced a determined attack in an attempt to even the score, but they could not get through to get another, although they were dangerous when the whistle sounded for time.

Garrison Start Strongly

The Garrison started out at a lively clip and for ten minutes were a constant worry to the bakers, but they were unable to penetrate for a goal. Twice Lomas was tested from long range, but the shots were weak and he turned both aside.

On the first attack which the bakers made, Obee fouled Nex in the penalty area and a penalty kick was awarded against the Garrison. Hay sent in a mighty drive, but the ball sailed high and hit the crossbar. In the scrimmage which followed, Nex managed to get his head to the ball, but Spiers made a fine save and fisted the ball clear.

Rennie & Taylors Score

Following a series of attacks, Rennie & Taylors forced a corner and on a perfect kick by Nex, Speak secured the leather and drove a fast daisy-cutter to the corner of the net, which beat Spiers all the way. A few minutes later Nex shoved the ball in for the second counter when Spiers failed to clear in his usual style.

The bakermen at the start of the second stanza went out on the attack and Spiers was tested with two hard drives by Speak and Hay, but he saved both nicely. Play following that slowed down considerably and few thrills were given the spectators.

Kemp Scores for Garrison

In the last ten minutes, the Garrison stepped out in lively fashion in an attempt to get on even terms and Kemp managed to slip the leather into goal following a fine piece of work by Middleton. Many attacks were launched until the final whistle sounded, in an effort to even the score, but no more goals resulted.

For the winners, Tupman, McKinnon, Stewart, Speak and Hawkes played good football, while Spiers, Allan, Peterson, Pocock and Henry worked hard for the losers. McMillian refereed and the teams were as follows:

Garrison: Spiers; Allan and Evans; Ross, Obee and Peterson; Bryson, Kemp, Middleton, Pocock and Henry.

Rennie & Taylors: Lomas; Newman and Tupman; Stewart, McKinnon and Land; Hawkes, Speak, Hay, Nex and Cartwright.

WILLIAM RUSSELL WAINSCOAT
(Inside Left)

This is his usual position, but he has been known to act as centre-forward, especially during a season in Barnsley, when he was under the consideration of the selectors for a "Cap." Born at Maltby, in the South Yorkshire coalfield, he was assisting the Dinnington Colliery team in the South Yorkshire League, when Barnsley, most astute in prospecting, secured him. For several seasons he played so well with Barnsley that eventually Middlesborough obtained his transfer during December, 1923, for a fee of £4,800. He never settled down on the banks of the Tees, and was engaged by Leeds United in the middle of last March, but in October of this season he fractured an arm when playing in good form. Leeds thought so much of him that they made him the captain. There is no doubt that he is a beautiful forward. He is a wizard with the ball, but being somewhat unorthodox, he is apt to mystify his own colleagues. He has had the honor of playing in the old and historic fixture between Sheffield and Glasgow. He can fill any inside position with distinction. Five feet ten inches; 175 lbs.

COLWOOD GOLF CLUB OFFICERS RE-ELECTED

J. A. Sayward Retains Presidency and "Tom" McPherson Carries On as Captain

At the annual general meeting of the Colwood Golf and Country Club held last night in the Sprott-Shaw School, J. A. Sayward was once again unanimously elected president and honorary treasurer of the club, and was tendered a vote of thanks for his excellent work for the club during his past term of office. T. S. McPherson was also unanimously elected to another year of office as captain of the club. Every election in fact was unanimous and the board of directors for the coming year will be composed of the following: J. A. Sayward, Sir Frank Barnard, A. C. Flumerfelt, J. A. Lindsay, J. L. Mara, B. S. Heisterman, Capt. J. W. Troup, T. S. McPherson, W. S. Terry and Dr. F. M. Bryant. Auditor, R. Genn.

Apart from the election of officers the chief business discussed at the meeting was the recommendation from the directors to undertake building extension to the clubhouse to provide for more locker space and give some additional accommodation for the ladies. After a lengthy discussion it was decided to canvass the members for subscriptions for debentures, and a committee was appointed to attend to this and to report back to an extraordinary general meeting to be held in thirty days' time.

A motion of the captain, T. S. McPherson, to give additional privileges to junior members was passed.

It was decided that no alteration should be made in the present guest day arrangement, and a special vote of thanks was passed to the ladies' committee for its excellent work in connection with the club dances.

Ultimatum Sent To Charlie Hoff

NEW YORK, May 5.—Charlie Hoff, world champion vaulter, today was advised by the Amateur Athletic Union that: "Unless you have reasonable basis for refusing to compete at San Francisco, the Foreign Relations Committee will cancel your permit for further appearances in the United States."

League Baseball

Coast

LOS ANGELES, May 5.—Louis Guisto's home run over the leftfield wall in the eighth inning gave Hub Pruett the edge over Frank Shellenback in a hurling duel and Oakland a 3 to 2 victory over Hollywood here today. Sheehan's home run over the same fence in the sixth had tied the score.

	R.	H.	E.
Oakland	3	7	1
Hollywood	2	5	4

Batteries—Pruett and Baker, Bool; Shellenback and Peters.

SEATTLE, May 5.—Jim Elliott, Seattle's big southpaw pitcher, defeated San Francisco, 2 to 1, in the first game of a baseball series here today, for his eighth straight victory of the season. He has yet to lose a contest.

	R.	H.	E.
San Francisco	1	6	1
Seattle	2	5	0

Batteries—Moudy, Mitchell and Agnew; Elliott and Jenkins.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—The Missions turned ten hits and a couple of errors into a bunch of runs today to defeat Sacramento 10 to 4, in the opening game of this week's series here.

	R.	H.	E.
Sacramento	4	8	4
Missions	10	10	0

Batteries—Vinci, Shea and Koehler; Cole and Murphy.

Los Angeles-Portland game postponed; rain.

CLEVELAND, May 5.—St. Louis bunched seven hits with three errors in the ninth inning today, and defeated Cleveland 11-5, in the final game of the series.

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	11	14	2
Cleveland	5	5	4

Batteries—Falk, Ballou and Hargraves; Buckeye, Benge, Karr and Sewell.

PHILADELPHIA, May 5.—The Philadelphia Athletics made a clean sweep of the three-game series with the Yankees by winning today, 5-3, in spite of home runs by Ruth and Meusel. It was Ruth's fifth homer of the season and Meusel's third.

	R.	H.	E.
New York	3	7	0
Philadelphia	5	11	0

Batteries—Pennock and Collins; Gray, Heimach, Baumgartner and Perkins.

DETROIT, May 5.—Detroit concentrated the attack in three innings today, driving Thomas and Edwards from the mound and easily defeated Chicago, 14 to 7, in the final game of the series.

	R.	H.	E.
Detroit	14	14	1
Chicago	7	11	3

Batteries—Holloway, Johns, Dauss and Bassler; Thomas, Edwards, Steengraft, Connelly, Leverett and Schalk, McHardy.

BOSTON, May 5.—Washington made it three in a row over Boston today, obliterating the Red Sox to the measure of 11-0.

	R.	H.	E.
Washington	11	13	0
Boston	0	4	2

Batteries—Coveleskie and Ruel; Wingfield, Wetzel, Russell and Bischoff.

National

PITTSBURGH, May 5.—In a pitcher's duel today between Meadows and Bob Smith, the bespectacled Pirate hurler had the edge and the champions won, 3 to 2.

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	2	4	0
Pittsburgh	3	9	2

Batteries—Smith and Taylor; Meadows and Smith.

ST. LOUIS, May 5.—Six extra base hits helped the Cincinnati Reds to defeat the Cardinals today, 6-1.

	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	6	7	2
St. Louis	1	5	1

Batteries—Lucas, Hallahan and Picinich; Johnson, Sothoron and O'Farrell.

International

Newark, 1-5; Toronto, 3-3.
Baltimore, 15; Syracuse, 7.
Reading, 5-10; Buffalo, 8-11.

Coast League Standing

	P.	W.	L.	Tie	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Cumberland	15	11	2	2	61	23	24
Ladysmith	14	10	3	1	37	16	21
Nanaimo	14	8	4	2	38	23	18
Westminster United	14	7	3	4	38	26	18
Varsity	15	5	8	2	24	42	12
St. Andrew's	15	4	8	3	24	30	11
St. Saviour's	11	4	6	1	14	22	9
North Shore United	12	3	8	1	20	32	7
Victoria Veterans	12	1	11	0	21	64	2

LEICESTER CRICKET MATCH IS A DRAW

Australians Make 336 in First Innings—Leicester County All Out for 96

LEICESTER, Eng., May 5.—The cricket match between the touring Australian team and the Leicester County eleven could not be concluded yesterday and was declared a draw.

The not outs of Monday, Gregory, 102, and Grimmett, 9, continued the first innings of the Australians yesterday. Gregory raised his score to 120 and was not out when his side was dismissed. Grimmett being caught by Astill from the bowling of Shipman when he made 22. Leicester made a poor reply, being all out for 96 and following on.

The score at the end of the second day was:

Australians, first innings, 336.

Bowling analysis: Skelding, five for 97; Meary, one for 92; Astill, none for 41; Shipman, one for 38; Bale, three for 43; Lord, none for 16.

Leicester first innings score:

Shipman, c and b Gregory	13
Berry, c Ponsford, b Grimmett	14
Astill, c Oldfield, b Everett	7
Taylor, b Macartney	19
Sharp, lbw, b Macartney	22
Geary, b Macartney	2
Fowke, b Grimmett	7
Lord, b Ryder	0
Sidwell, b Macartney	9
Fielding, not out	0
Extras	3
Total	96

Bowling analysis: Gregory, one for 25; Everett, one for 23; Grimmett, two for 26; Macartney, five for 9; Ryder, one for 10.

Leicester, second innings:

Shipman, lbw, b Ryder	9
Berry, not out	5
Astill, not out	1
Total for one wicket	15

Rosenberg to Fight Bob Eber in Toronto

NEW YORK, May 5.—Arrangements have been completed for a battle for the world's championship bantamweight title in Toronto, May 21, between "Bad News" Bobby Eber, of Hamilton, Ont., and Charlie (Phil) Rosenberg, present holder, it is announced. Rosenberg made the announcement after he had a telephone conversation with his manager, Harry Segal, who is at present in Toronto.

Wife (as hubby comes in)—What in the world is Mr. Nexdore doing crawling all over his lawn?

Hub.—He says he's looking for a lump of coal he threw at the cat last Summer.

HOCKEY DEAL NEWS GRADUALLY SPREADS

New York Learns of Negotiations, While Hardwick Confirms Rosebuds' Sale

NEW YORK, May 5.—Complete absorption of the six Western Hockey League clubs by the National Hockey League promoters, a result of the tremendous growth of the professional game in Eastern Canada and the United States, was indicated today by announcement of negotiations for a five-club player sale.

With the league champions, Victoria Cougars, already purchased by Detroit interests for $100,000, advices from Calgary today disclosed that the remaining clubs in the circuit, Portland, Vancouver, Edmonton, Saskatoon and Calgary are involved in a new transaction.

Disbanding of the circuit and the reorganization of the old Western Canada League are forecast by Calgary hockey men.

Two for New York

Dovetailing with an announcement in Calgary by Owner Lloyd Turner, that the Calgary Tigers probably would soon be turned over intact to an American promoter, Col. John S. Hammond, of the Madison Square Garden Corporation, revealed further details in plans for increasing New York's representation in the National League to two clubs. In addition to the New York Americans who competed in the league last year, a club playing under the name of the Rangers will also use the Garden rink for home games.

Although Colonel Hammond was unwilling to disclose the identity of ten players he said had been signed as "Rangers," reports from Ottawa indicated that Tex Rickard's representatives had purchased the Saskatoon club intact.

More Confirmation

CHICAGO, May 5.—H. R. (Tack) Hardwick, former Harvard football player, tonight confirmed the report that he had purchased the Portland Rosebuds hockey team to represent Chicago in the National Hockey League. Wiring from Boston, Hardwick also said he expected to obtain the franchise within two weeks.

Cricket Teams Picked For Saturday Matches

The following players have been selected to represent the Victoria team against Cowichan at Cowichan on Saturday next. All players are requested to be on time and to meet in front of The Colonist office at 9:45 a.m. sharp.

G. C. Grant, A. Cox, F. Watson, G. N. Le May, F. W. Barber-Starkey, E. Fanar, R. Bryden, R. Robertson, A. Wilson, E. Straker and A. Booth.

Harlequins' Team

On Saturday afternoon next at the Jubilee Hospital grounds the Victoria Harlequins and Cowichan Wanderers will meet in the second week of the regular league schedule, the game to commence at 2:30 o'clock. The following players will represent the Harlequins:

J. Matson, E. Venall, H. Bleasdale, H. Wells, F. Wallace, F. Maurice, H. Cantrell, F. H. Allwood, A. F. Mitchell, R. Wright and A. H. Goodwin.

Racing at Juarez

First race, five and one-half furlongs—1, Black Pat, 113, Taylor, $4.20, $3.20, $3; 2, Pat Carter, 113, Holecko, $9.40, $4.40; 3, Cocksure, 112, Hurn, $5.60. Time, 1:09.

Second race, five and one-half furlongs—1, Eleanor W., 103, Yates, $7.60, $4, $2.40; 2, Dudle Bug, 111, Cochrane, $4.40, $2.80; 3, Spice Bush, 111, Taylor, $2.60. Time, 1.09 2-5.

Third race, four and one-half furlongs—1, Dan Hogan, 111, Broadfoot, $27, $11.80, $6.40; 2, Brown Dick, 115, A. Mackrid, $3.20, $3.20; 3, Four o' Five, 111, Greenwood, $3.80. Time, :56 2-5.

Fourth race, four and one-half furlongs—1, Lady Small, 109, Hatton, $5, $5, $4; 2, Chet G., 111, Taylor, $14, $7.60; 3, Running Lady, 95, Imig, $4. Time, :56 2-5.

Fifth race, seven furlongs—1, Weary Dick, 112, A. Maskrid, $8.20, $6.40, $3; 2, Time's Up, 107, Maskrid, $3, $2.40; 3, Lady Barrett, 105, Sutton, $2.40. Time, 1:29 3-5.

Sixth race, six furlongs—1, Miss Lane, 107, Laidley, $7.60, $4.60, $4.20; 2, Servitor, 113, D. Hurn, $4.20, $3.40; 3, Tom Craven, 107, Holecko, $6. Time, 1:15 3-5.

Seventh race, five furlongs—1, Black Prince, 110, Laidley, $3.60, $3.40, $2.20; 2, Woodcry, 107, Whitacre, $7.20, $2.60; 3, Fairy's Beau, 97, Imig, $2.60. Time, 1:01 1-5.

Overnight Entries

First race, six furlongs—Forewarn, 112; Zanzibar, 112; Glenzar, 110; Felicitous, 112; Cork, 112; Tom Brooks, 112; Saint Pierre, 112.

Second race, six furlongs—Jago, 105; Chick Barlay, 107; Bloomington Ten, 103; Linda Zinda, 103; Four o' Five, 113; Kenetic, 110; Seawrack, 105; Douglas H. Johnston, 106; Black Pat, 107; Miss Paige, 105; Calvacadour II., 105; Sequan, 107; Tubby A. Ten, 102; Peter Pierson, 102; Mary Maud Carr, 103. Also eligible, New Pink, 107.

Third race, four furlongs—Reanle, 110; Outcast, 107; Glowing Gold, 117; Sergeant Seth, 120; Marietta, 112; Forest King, 107.

Fourth race, five furlongs—Hank's Son, 111; Pigmy, 97; Little Reb, 103; James Neely, 108; Mulhill, 97; Lilliputian, 97; Virginia Dare II., 109.

Fifth race, five furlongs—Claymore, 110; Neg, 108; Cascade, 103; Dan Hogan, 108; Monopoly, 111; Ask Jessie, 101; Muda, 101; Chevalier, 112; Olympial, 111; Phillips Lugo, 103.

Sixth race, one mile—Brimstone, 113; Battle Bent, 110; Insurance, 103; Jay Roberts, 110; Yibra, 111; Biddiedee, 103; Little Hope, 111; Simpleton, 105; Sweet and Slow, 106; Whipsaw, 107; Graber Four, 110; Captain Mac, 110. Also eligible, Rosefield, 103; Daytime, 98.

Seventh race, seven furlongs—The Nephew, 101, Laddy Barret, 97; Jolly Copas, 109; Martin L., 112; Contidor, 99; Starline Twelve, 99; Times Up, 99.

Weather, clear; track, fast.

Edmonton Grads Remain Champions

EDMONTON, May 5.—The Edmonton Commercial Graduates basketball team are still international girls' champions, according to a ruling handed out today by J. J. Seitz, chairman of the board of trustees for the Underwood trophy, emblematic of the title in question. In a lengthy statement, which has been forwarded to the Cleveland Newman-Sterns team, who recently defeated the "Grads" in games played in Cleveland and New York, he states that the Canadians will retain the cup and the championship until Clevelanders win it on the Edmonton court.

BAKERS WILL PLAY TILLICUMS IN FINAL

Possession of Hayward Cup Will Be Decided at Royal Athletic Park Next Wednesday

Rennie & Taylors' 2-1 victory over the Garrison yesterday in the semi-final of the Hayward Cup gave the Breadmen the right to meet the Tillicums next Wednesday in the cup final. The game will be played at the Royal Athletic Park at 3 p.m., with MacMillan as referee. This match will draw the curtain on Wednesday football for the present season and will also terminate one of the most successful seasons in the history of mid-week soccer here.

The grand finale in the Wednesday Football League for the present season will be held on Saturday, May 15, at the Chamber of Commerce, when players and friends will mingle at the first annual banquet of the Victoria and District Wednesday Football League. The banquet will be from eight to nine, during which the Fendray Cup for the championship of the Wednesday League will be presented to the Hudson's Bays and medals to the individual members of the team. Kirkhams, who were knocked out of the championship series by the departmental store eleven, will be on hand to receive the medals for the runners-up. The Hayward Cup will be presented and in addition the Victoria and District Wednesday Football League's most gentlemanly player's cup. The latter trophy was donated to the mid-week league by Mr. H. M. Barber, a well-known local sportsman.

After the presentation of the various trophies the gathering will dance to the strains of Pitt's orchestra. Tickets will be available from the managers of the various teams. The committee in charge is getting everything in readiness so that all who attend will have a very enjoyable time. It is expected that this event will meet with even greater success than that which has been with the mid-week football league all this season.

THE CHESTER CUP

Hidennis Is Winner of Century-Old Racing Event From Field of Ten Starters

CHESTER, England, May 5.—The Chester Cup stakes, more than a century old and feature of the three-day meeting which closes tomorrow, was won this afternoon by Hidennis, five-year-old bay colt, by Tredennis-Mary Louise, and owned by Mrs. L. Huntley Walker. Hidennis defeated by two lengths the Aga Khan's Vermilion Pencil. Ixia, owned by William Singer, was third by eight lengths. Hidennis, carrying 93 pounds, started at odds 11 to 2 against, while Vermilion Pencil carried 102 and was backed at 4 to 1. Ixia carried 96 pounds at 10 to 1 against. Ten horses ran.

The race was over about two miles and a quarter. Besides the cup the value was approximately $13,000. When tomorrow's programme, featured by the rich Dee Stakes, has been run off and the meeting ended, horse racing throughout England on jockey club courses will be suspended for the duration of the strike.

Victoria Lacrosse Teams To Make Trip to Tacoma

Will Be Guests of American Legion at Monster Celebration to Be Held on July 5—Capitols and Sidney Selected to Go

Two Victoria lacrosse teams will journey to Tacoma to take part in the American Legion sports which are to be held on July 5. This was definitely decided at a meeting of the Association held last night following a discussion with Mr. Russell Peterson, secretary of the Tacoma Branch of the American Legion. The teams will be the Victoria Capitols, last year's champions, and Sidney.

Plans for one of the biggest seasons in recent years were made last night and, judging from the enthusiasm shown by the delegates, it looks as if Canada's national game is due for a great comeback.

Many Teams Entered

To date, two senior and three intermediate teams have entered the league and a number of others are expected before the schedule has been adopted. The Capitols and Sidney tendered their entries for the senior division, while the Sons of Canada and Sidney, two of last year's contenders, and Foul Bay have sent in their applications for the intermediate division. Another senior squad is expected and also an intermediate team to be made up from Esquimalt and Victoria West districts.

Rumors are afloat that the Sons of Canada will sponsor a senior squad and take over the franchise of the Victoria Capitols, but nothing definite has been secured from this organization. It is generally understood, however, that the Sons are anxious to branch out into senior company and many of the Capitols are figuring on wearing the purple and gold this season.

Both the senior and intermediate leagues will get under way during the week of May 16. Next Wednesday night entries will close and the schedule for the year adopted. What dates will be set for the opening night is still in doubt, as the grounds committee has yet to make a report on the playing field available. Application will be made for the use of the Royal Athletic Park for the staging of the senior and intermediate games.

Senior Schedule Longer

The senior schedule this season will be longer than last year and will consist of ten games. Last year the season, players claimed, was too short and the league has decided to adopt a longer playing schedule. The intermediate league will be shorter on account of the additional number of entries which have been received in that division.

Numerous inquiries have been received about the formation of a ladies' lacrosse team and president Tait reports that he has already the nucleus of a strong squad. Interest appears to be running high among the fair sex, with a view of having the crack Iroquois team here during the Summer, and the league is confident that a strong team will be formed.

The invitation of the Tacoma branch of the American Legion was favorably received, and Victoria will send two teams for an exhibition game on July 5. The game will be played in the big stadium, and secretary Peterson figures that at least 35,000 people will witness the match. Part of the American fleet will be on hand to take part in the monster celebration which is to be staged in that city.

Sons to Play Sidney

The league decided to have the intermediate Sons of Canada and Sidney teams take part in the May 24th celebration. These two teams have been exceedingly popular with fans for the past two years and are capable of putting up a splendid exhibition. They will meet at the Royal Athletic Park at 6:30 o'clock.

Brentwood Boys Win Gillespie Shield Match At University School

Brentwood College won from University School yesterday on the University School ground at Mt. Tolmie in a Gillespie Shield cricket match by 53 to 43. The present standing in the series now is: Brentwood, 4 points; University, 2 points; Oak Bay High School, 2 points; Victoria High School, nil. Yesterday's scores follow:

University School

Morant, b Bryden	3
Martin, run out	0
Skillings, ct Farrar, b Bryden	10
R. Tye, lbw, b Bryden	0
Colton, b Bryden	3
D. Gordon, ct Malkin, b Bryden	2
Walton, b Bryden	10
Tisdale, ct Bryden, b Farrar	0
Jackson, not out	13
D. Tye, b Robertson	1
Holms, b Robertson	0
Extras	1
Total	43

Brentwood College

Miller, b Gordon	2
Campbell, c Morant, b Holms	2
Wilson, run out	16
Farrar, not out	7
Bryden, ct Gordon, b Holms	3
Appleton, b Holms	0
Malkin, run out	1
Mitchell, ct Colton, b Gordon	0
Robertson, b Holms	11
Symons, ct Colton, b Holms	2
McTavish, c and b Holms	7
Extras	2
Total	53

Bowling Analysis

University—	O.	W.	R.
Bryden	9	5	19
Farrar	7	2	19
Robertson	1.5	2	1
Brentwood—	O.	W.	R.
Holms	11.2	6	12
Morant	4	0	10
Gordon	7	2	25

Jack Allen Severs Connection With Foley

VANCOUVER, May 5.—Jack Allen, the well-known boxing manager and promoter, has announced the severance of his business connections with Vic Foley, Canadian boxer, who has been absent from the ring for several months. Allen will continue to devote his managerial activities to a string of boxers headed by Harvey Holliday, the sensational young flyweight, who has jumped to the front so rapidly in the past few months.

COUNTY CRICKET

Poor Start Made in Annual Series—Strike Plays Havoc With Schedule

LONDON, May 5.—Cricket made a poor start for its 1926 season. With the exception of the Essex and Yorkshire fixture at Leyton, no play took place Saturday in any of the county games. The strike threatens to play havoc with the games set for this week.

Results of the first matches of the season were:

Surrey vs. Hampshire, drawn.

Yorkshire defeated Essex by ten wickets.

Notts defeated North Hants by four wickets.

Lancashire vs. Warwickshire, drawn.

The Cambridge University and Middlesex match was abandoned on account of the strike. Cambridge scored 89 and Middlesex 223.

There are about half a million different kinds of living creatures on earth and more than three-fourths of these are kinds of insects.

Province Bicycle Race

J. A. Davies Wins Cup for Second Year in Succession—Staples Nearly Level

VANCOUVER, May 5.—Showing championship form, J. A. Davies, British Columbia champion cyclist, equalled the performance of Dave Cooke, 1922 and 1924 cup winner, in winning the seventh annual Province bicycle road race around Stanley Park this evening for the second time. Davies was 1925 winner of the Province Cup and is the only rider to have won the cup two years in succession.

Sprinting the decline just before the finish line, Davies held a lead over Charlie Staples, Victoria, beating the Capital City rider by less than half a length. Kenny Lambert, former B class contender, was third. Time 15 minutes 49 4-5 seconds.

Frank Rose, of Victoria, supplied the excitement of the class race when he jumped on the big hill and gained more than twenty yards on the entire class. He was caught before the top of the hill was reached and, while he was in at the finish, he was largely responsible for speeding up the class and removing the possibility of class B making better time than the senfora and winning the cup. Bob McDicken, a Vancouver Bicycle Club protege, led a crowded field to the line in the class B event.

One of the most unusual features of the race was the fact that three brothers took first places in the three next classes. Andy Littlejohn was first in class C; Herb. Littlejohn first in class D and Douglas Littlejohn first in class E.

Albert Pellett held up the honor of Victoria in finishing second to Herb. Littlejohn.

George Robinson, of Victoria, and Alex. Stewart and others of the Capital City cycling representatives congratulated Davies and invited the Vancouver riders to compete in the annual Penwill trophy race, to be held around Beacon Hill, Victoria, on May 24.

Sportive Punches

By the "Old 'Un"

CHARLIE HOFF is beginning to get a bit "fed up." The reception he has received in America and the hard work it has meant for him have made life a little too strenuous for a man supposed to be enjoying a honeymoon trip.

It is rather funny the difficulty these athletic stars seem to have in understanding the "attitude of the sporting public" of America.

SUZANNE LENGLEN had some very rude things to say a day or two ago about the American sport writers, because they had been publishing and commenting on the news given out from reliable sources, and probably quite true, that arrangements were being made for her to make an American tour.

And now poor Charlie wants a rest from the incessant ballyhoo and talk about new record-making at every athletic meet at which he is billed—we should say, invited; pardon the error—to compete.

"If I don't make a record," he says, "the people get mad at me." Well that may be so, but after all it is more of a compliment than an insult.

That's the worst of being a world-famous star in any line of athletic endeavor. You've got to live right up to the ideals the public sets for you, or the public "gets mad" and turns its back on its idol.

By the way, ROGER PECKINPAUGH, "goat" of the last world's baseball series "when he broke into the WASHINGTON line-up for the first time on Sunday got a single, a double and a triple and just about won the game for WALTER JOHNSON.

Northern California has decided that it wants its golf champions in future to be Northern Californians.

No more "foreign" competitors are to be invited or allowed to compete in future in their title events, which, for the last two years, have been won by outside entrants.

What no doubt made it hurt more was that the winners, this year and last, were from Southern California. Last season it was GEORGE VON ELM, and this year it was CAPTAIN A. BULLOCK-WEBSTER, both Southern Californians.

Not a bad idea at that. It may be that the allowing of foreign entries in a championship tournament may improve the class of play and give the home-brews some competition which is very valuable to them in improving their play, but it has always seemed rather a contradiction in terms to the Old 'Un's old-fashioned mind to call a resident of the United States the golf champion of British Columbia, or a Frenchman the champion of the United States.

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MISS SAYWARD WINS QUALIFYING ROUND

Heads Field for Ladies' Club Championship With Score of 92—Mrs. Parry Runner-Up

Miss Sayward won the medal in the qualifying round of the ladies' club championship of the Colwood Golf and Country Club yesterday afternoon. Miss Sayward, who went round in 92, was closely followed by Mrs. Parry with 93 and Mrs. Wilding 94. The qualifying scores were as follows:

Miss Sayward, 92; Mrs. Parry, 93; Mrs. Wilding, 94; Mrs. Abell, 97; Miss Schwengers, 101; Mrs. Pocock, 108; Mrs. Stevens, 108; Mrs. Burnes, 111.

Other scores were as follows: Mrs. Rasmussen, 113; Mrs. Richardson, 116; Mrs. Crowe, 119; Mrs. Lawson, 119; Mrs. W. Hall, 127; Mrs. Richards, 128; Miss K. Lovell, 130.

The first round of match play will be played today, the draw being as follows:

Mrs. Parry vs. Mrs. Pocock.
Miss Sayward vs. Miss Schwengers.
Mrs. Wilding vs. Mrs. Stevens.
Mrs. Abell vs. Mrs. Burnes.

Second Flight

Mrs. Rasmussen vs. Mrs. Crowe.
Mrs. Richards a bye.
Mrs. Richardson vs. Miss Lovell.
Mrs. Lawson vs. Mrs. Hall.

The first four knocked out of the championship will form a first flight.

Championship Off

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 5.—Glenna Collett, United States women's golf champion, who is now in England, notified her parents by cable today that the British ladies' golf championship, in which she was to compete, had been called off.

"Wet" or "Dry" Issue Agitates Politicians

SYDNEY, N.S.W., May 4.—The question of whether the new Federal capital territory of Canberra is to be "wet" or "dry" is agitating the minds of politicians and civil servants who will have to take up their quarters there within the next year. Up to the present no liquor licences have been granted.

The Prime Minister, Mr. Bruce, was asked in the House of Representatives yesterday whether or not the sale of alcoholic liquor would be permitted there. Mr. Bruce replied: "That most important question is now being considered."

She Couldn't Sleep Heart Was So Bad

Mrs. J. D. McClintock, Charlottetown, P.E.I., writes:—"About a year ago I was greatly troubled with my heart.

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Experts Claim Hoff's Style In Vaulting Is All Wrong

Charlie Retorts That Others Are "Not So Good"

By CHARLES HOFF

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XX—Vaulting Style

People in Europe never bothered to comment upon my vaulting style, but most American experts say it is entirely wrong. Or, if they don't go quite so far, they at least say the American style is better.

The reason, of course, is that the American style of vaulting looks better than mine. The experts are betrayed by appearances. It seems more reasonable to pass the bar with a rounded back, than to pass it with the body straight.

Several experts here have tried to make me change my style, asserting that I would make 14 feet, 6 inches, with the American technique. That is a mistake.

If I should change tomorrow, I would never do more than 13 feet again. They say that I am a born pole-vaulter, and that is the reason I succeed despite bad technique; but every expert ought to know just as well as I do, that an athlete is "born to it," simply because he instinctively uses the right technique.

Has Tried American Style

I will not write anything about my own style since it is "wrong," but I can and will explain why the American technique is not good.

The way an American pole-vaulter "hooks" his body in passing the bar stops the forward movement in the vault, so that the American vaulter always falls down on the bar at the greater heights, instead of falling on the other side, even if he is for a moment, far higher than the bar. And still worse, the American technique prevents the vaulter holding the pole as high as I do because it is difficult to get into a straight upright position when one uses his arms too soon.

I would not have said that my style is the correct one if I had not also tried the American, but it is upon the American system that my coach Kreigsman, probably the greatest athletic expert now living, built the style that I am using. The American who used the style most like mine, Babcock, won in the Stockholm Olympics in 1912. He had the same straight position over the bar, but swung up in a different way.

Will Endanger Record

The experts insist that with my style it is impossible to vault higher than one holds the pole, but when I made my last outdoor record of almost 14 feet, I did not hold the pole higher than 12 feet, 4 inches, and I don't think there are many pole vaulters who, even with the American technique, are able to vault much higher than a foot and a half above their hold on the pole.

It is almost impossible for a spectator to discover the exact technique of a pole vault, but a film shows it, especially when in slow motion. That has not yet been done with my vaulting.

People think that speed and a high hold upon the pole are my main advantages, but those are really two of the least important points.

Some day the American vaulters will begin to use my technique, and from that moment my outdoor world's record will be in danger.

Tomorrow:
Common Errors in Running the Hurdles.

LABOR'S COURSE DENOUNCED AS CHALLENGE

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organ, which has undertaken the printing of The British Worker, a paper issued by the Trades Union Congress, to offset The British Gazette, published by the Government.

The raid caused considerable excitement, but the authorities withdrew the embargo after a sample copy of The British Worker had been examined.

Throughout the afternoon the opposing councils of war faced each other across the narrow floor of the House of Commons. With characteristic firmness and quietness, Premier Baldwin met all approaches from the Labor benches for the reopening of the parleys regarding the coal miners' dispute with the declaration that no Government in any circumstances could ever yield to a general strike. The moment it was officially withdrawn unconditionally, the Government was prepared to resume negotiations.

Strike Haste Deplored

Former Premier Lloyd George joined the Laborites in deploring the precipitancy shown in breaking off the negotiations, which he characterized as a grave error.

Ramsay MacDonald begged the Cabinet not to remain adamant, but to make some concession in order to get the Government and the Trades Union Congress around the conference table.

For the first time debate brought out how slight a touch was needed to sever the thread of negotiations and send the sword of a general strike crashing on the heads of the British people. It was the "overt act" of a few printers in The Daily Mail plant, who, acting without authority of the union's representatives, disagreed with an editorial and stopped the machinery of the paper, preventing its publication.

Government Blamed

The debate tended to centre more and more on the precise reasons of the breakdown of the negotiations Sunday night, and after a strong appeal by Lord Hugh Cecil for dispassionate consideration of all the circumstances, J. H. Thomas rose and said that on Sunday night the negotiations committee of the Trades Union Congress had accepted a formula drawn up by the Prime Minister's own hand and left to discuss it with the miners in an adjoining room, when they received the Government's decision to terminate the parleys.

Premier Defends Step

Premier Baldwin intervened to explain all the time he had entertained doubts about the wisdom of continuing negotiations under threat of a general strike. When news was received that the first steps toward the general strike had been taken, namely, interference with the expression of opinion in the press, the Government decided that the conferences could not continue, he said.

Ramsay MacDonald, in a further plea for bringing the Government and the trades union committee together again, said that after receiving the Government's final communication Sunday night, the Trades Union Congress and miners sent a committee from their room to the Prime Minister's room to discuss the situation.

When the committee arrived, Mr. MacDonald declared dramatically, they found the door locked and the room in darkness.

Formula Remains Secret

In consequence of this disclosure, members of the House of Commons repeatedly demanded to know the terms of the formula mentioned, and whether the miners had accepted it since the breakdown, but information on this point was not forthcoming.

Premier Baldwin insisted that the negotiations were terminated because of the actual beginning of the general strike and declared they could be reopened as soon as the strike order was officially withdrawn.

A Laborite, James Maxton, Glasgow, asserted that the strike had been precipitated because the dignity of a great newspaper proprietor had been injured. It was disgraceful that the whole nation's services could be stopped and that millions should suffer because of this.

Ready to Employ Troops

Sir William Joynson-Hicks, Home Secretary, made a statement in the House which hearers interpreted as meaning that the Government was prepared to use troops to maintain services of vital importance, such as the railways, if necessary.

Sir William said the Government was empowered to call on the Crown forces to assist in maintaining any services that the Government deemed vital. He designated such services as electricity, maintenance of the electrical and mechanical plant and machinery of the Port of London, the transport of motor fuel and continuance of the railway services.

His pronouncement was greeted with loud cheers from the Conservative majority.

The House of Lords endorsed the royal proclamation declaring a state of emergency.

Strikers Pray Daily

In Plymouth the strikers are gathering in large numbers at the parish church each morning for prayers. The corporation tram and bus services have been suspended, but the suburban railway service is fairly good under the circumstances.

The mail delivery in many parts of Scotland has been considerably improved since yesterday morning. This morning's delivery of mail was only an hour later than usual.

In Edinburgh the school teachers are being conveyed to and from the schools in groups by taxicabs. Throughout the United Kingdom the school children are attending school about as usual.

In Bristol the tram and bus services are being fully maintained.

South Wales Quiet

In the South Wales mining area the day passed quietly. Striking miners organized games and took part therein, apparently carefree.

The steel workers at Dawlais, Wales, ceased work today in sympathy with the miners.

In Glasgow more than 100 trams were manned today, arrangements having been made to house all the tram workers at the depots.

Trains left London for the following northern cities and towns today: Carstairs, Glasgow, Edinburgh, Carlisle, Gourock and Wemyss Bay.

The London morning and evening papers have combined in issuing an emergency sheet.

Nicaraguan Rebel Force Takes Two More Towns

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, May 5.—The revolutionists have captured Rio Grande and La Cruz, gaining control of the Rio Grande Valley, where the most valuable plantations of the Guyamel Fruit Co., of New Orleans, are situated.

Strike Diverts Travel To Channel Air Lines

LEBOURGET, France, May 5.—Passenger service from the airdrome here has tripled, owing to the British strike, and rates have been doubled. The greater part of the postal service is being routed by air.

First Farmer—How do you find your new hired man, Exry?

Second Farmer—I look in the shade of the tree nearest his work.

Confined to Bed with Eczema

Mrs. Bruce Weaver, Coboconk, Ontario, says, "I had Eczema 10 years. Tried four doctors, also all kinds of salves. It spread all over my body. I was sick in bed with it and tortured night and day. I am thankful to say after using Ovelmo I was rid of my trouble. I never found anything to give such relief. I cannot praise Ovelmo too highly. Publish this for benefit of others." Mrs. Weaver is another of the 35,000 who say Ovelmo internal and external treatment completely rid them of skin disease. Stops itching right off, soothes, relieves and quickly heals. Improves digestion, purifies the blood. Ask your druggist. Results or money back.

OVELMO STOPS ECZEMA

BOARD CANCELS POWER LICENCE

B.C. GOVERNMENT PLACES RESERVE ON CAMPBELL RIVER POWER

Interests of Campbell River Power Company Are Terminated—Extension Is Refused

The placing of a reserve on the water power at Campbell River and the termination of the interests of the Campbell River Power Company, were made known at the Parliament Buildings yesterday.

Acting on behalf of all interested parties, Mr. R. S. Heisterman appeared before the Water Board here on Tuesday to ask for a further extension of the licence. In Vancouver a delegation representing the option holders and the Campbell River Power Company, accompanied by the Vancouver members of the Legislature, interviewed the Minister of Lands to make the same request. But in both cases there was complete refusal.

Final action to terminate the licence followed these conferences.

Unless appeal is made to the Appeal Court, which is permissible under the Act, the action of the Water Board, as approved by the Minister of Lands, will be final and a reserve will be placed forthwith on the water power. An appeal, however would be an unusual procedure for a company to take.

Definite Development

Until someone comes forward with a definite plan of development, the reserve will not be raised, the department states. All things being equal, it is expected that the Campbell River Power Company, or the option holders, separately or together, will be given first consideration; but it is the intention of the department, it was said, to maintain the reserve until there is a real assurance of development.

The Campbell River Power Company has held a licence for the last sixteen years, but has failed to secure development of the power. It has, however, done a great deal of valuable permanent work, especially in surveys and plans and in gauging the flow of water daily for eleven years. A charge representing the actual money so expended is being placed against the property and will be maintained in the interest of those who have made the investment, it is understood.

The Campbell River power has been for ten years under option from the company to a group of promoters. These promoters, who early successfully made arrangements for the financing of the power development itself contingent upon securing users therefor, have devoted their efforts in trying to induce industrialists to establish industries which could give a market for their power. Success has not crowned these efforts, however.

To Interest Industry

The promoters have negotiated in the New York and London markets, the latest negotiations being with Cortaulds, Ltd., the big firm of rayon silk manufacturers, which recently established a factory in Ontario. But these negotiations, which had not proceeded to any definite point, have been interrupted by the expiry of the licence.

Gives Many Luncheons To Municipal Members

COLONEL HARRY COCKSHUTT

Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, who has just concluded a series of luncheons to representatives of municipalities, which brings the number of such guests invited to Government House, exclusive of official guests at state banquets, and similar events, to 80,000.

A sum of approximately $200,000 has been expended over the period of sixteen years by the company and option holders, it is understood. In this is included the cost of water gauging, government licence fees, surveys, plans, and traveling and office expenses. Subject to the charge against the property for expenditures of permanent value, this money will be lost to the investors it is stated.

DELEGATES ARE NAMED BY CANADIAN LEGION

Five Will Represent Local Body at Vancouver Convention—Pension Increase Announced

At the convention to be held in Vancouver this week-end for the organization of the provincial command of the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League, the local branch of what has hitherto been known as the Canadian Legion will be represented by the following elected delegates: Mr. H. P. Thorpe, Reeve Robert Macnicol, Col. F. A. Robertson, Mr. H. D. Twigg, M.P.P., and Mr. C. A. Gill, with Mr. P. Rawling and T. Mayo as alternates.

At the meeting of the legion last evening, the announcement was made that an interim charter had been received by the local organization as a branch of the newly organized body, the C.L. of the B.E.S.L.

The attention of the members was called to the fact that there had been received the welcome information that a member of the organization had had granted a sum of about $1,200 in the way of back pension money. The circumstances were that on the representations that had been made it had been established that the man was really entitled to a twenty per cent allowance. This was not established until 1923, but on the representations offered it was made to date back to the time of his discharge, it being shown he was then entitled to it. This accounted for the $1,200 allowance over what he had been receiving on a lower disability allowance.

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PRINCESSES MAKE DEBUT AT CAPITOL

Support of Public Asked to Help Finance Carnival—May Queen Contest for This Purpose

Princesses, representing four nationalities in the May Queen contest, were presented to the public at the Capitol Theatre last night. The fifth contestant, Princess Jennie O'Conner, representing Ireland, was unable to appear, but her manager spoke for her.

Each Princess was presented by her manager, who introduced the candidate, made a few remarks about her qualifications and solicited the support of the public. It was explained that the May Queen contest was put on to help finance the carnival, and that the more votes bought the more successful would be the celebrations. It was also pointed out that the carnival committees in past years had never reported a deficit, and it was hoped that the citizens of Victoria would get behind the campaign and make this year's affair a great success.

Miss Bessie Wallace, representing Scotland, was the first presented, followed by Miss Winnie Griffiths, representing Wales; Miss Dorothy Parsons, representing England, and Miss Kathleen Matthews, representing Canada.

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COMING EVENTS 1

DANCE, Strawberry Vale Hall, Thursday, May 6. 8 till 1. Kinloch's Orchestra. Admission 50c.

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DANCE — All-One-Family Dance Club, Saturday night, 8.30. A.O.F. Hall, Cormorant St. The club orchestra. Invitations only.

EQUIMALT Football Club will hold a concert and Dance at the Rex Theatre, Friday, May 7th. Concert and presentation, 7.45 p.m.; dancing 9 to 1.

LANTERN lecture by Mr. John Hosie in the A.O.F. Hall, at 8.30 p.m. on Thursday, May 6, under the auspices of the St. Andrews and Caledonian Society. Usual social to follow. Admission 25c. Everybody welcome.

FAXTON Hall dance, Friday, May 7, 9 to 1. Pitt's orchestra. Admission 50c. Jack's Stage leaves Public Library 8.30.

LODGE Princess Alexandra, No. 14, I.D.&M.O.E., regular meeting, Thursday, May 6, K. of P. Hall, 8 p.m. sharp.

NAVAL dance—A dance will be held at the Royal Canadian Naval Barracks Esquimalt, Thursday, May 6. Tickets at the door. Dancing 8-1. Refreshments.

RUMMAGE Sale, Saturday, May 15th, at 1818 Douglas Street, north of Hudson's Bay Store.

THE regular Military 500 will be held in the Conservative Rooms, Campbell Building, Thursday, the 6th, 8.30. All conservatives from the various wards will be welcome. Given under the auspices of Ward Four, John Day, chairman. Good prizes.

WANTED—MALE HELP 2

DISTRICT sales managers wanted, with or without sales organization, to handle smartest and fastest selling novelty in ladies' line. Splendid sideline to go with hosiery, lingerie and such items. Write Canadian Betty B Co., Walkerville, Ont.

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EXPERIENCED maid for general housework; sleep in. Phone 2615.

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WANTED—A lady as housekeeper, good home, small wage. Phone 5615L.

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WANTED—Office assistant and stenographer for general office work. Apply in own hand writing, stating experience. Box 2453, Colonist.

WANTED — Experienced marcel waver. Mrs. Freer's Hairdressing Parlors, 740 Fort.

WANTED at once, housekeeper to take full charge of small bungalow in city and two children, ages one and seven years. Must be fond of children. State wages expected in letter. Box 3546 Colonist.

WE are now enrolling students for our Winter class in hairdressing and allied subjects. Particulars at 326 Hayward Building. Phone 2530.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE 4

A YOUNG man with high school education, also two years experience in bank, desires position, affins work preferred. Box 1355, Colonist.

BOOKKEEPER open for engagement an hour in mornings, also month-ends. Phone 7572L, after 8 p.m.

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HOUSE repairs, alterations, store, office fitting, garages, bungalows, fences. Try Smith, 4731R.

IF you want a carpenter, phone Secretary of local union, 7616L.

PAINTING, kalsomining, general repairs, etc. A. Swift. Phone 7796R1.

RELIABLE man wants work of any kind, can drive truck. Box 2452, Colonist.

SCOTSMAN, experienced bookkeeper, best references, desires position, clerical work of any kind, available immediately. Robert Walker, 414 Carrall Street, Vancouver.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE 5

LADIES' fine laundry done in private home, charges moderate. Phone 7664X.

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VIOLIN 7a

ERNEST SEMPLE, violinist and teacher. Phones: Studio 2517 and Res. 3155.

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MISCELLANEOUS 10

ALL your trash will bring you cash, such as rags, bottles, also tools, stoves, furniture, or anything else. We call anywhere and pay best prices. Phone 6186.

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LAWN MOWERS sharpened, repaired, collected; work guaranteed. Carver & Son, 637 Fort. Phone 446.

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS 13

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LADIES' Spring suits, dresses, coats, blouses, etc., cheap to quick buyer. Mrs. Jowitt, 821 Fort Street.

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ALL makes phonographs, washing machines and sewing machines repaired. 718 Yates.

BESSON, long model, cornet and and case, $35; trombone, $12.50; violin, $7.50; mandolin, $8; guitar, $10.50. Hickling, 741 Pandora.

FOR Sale—Boehm flute (Rudall Carte), in perfect condition; played by a professional. Price for quick sale, $100 or offer; present value $200. Apply phone 5537L5.

FURNITURE

BARGAIN — Dandy buffet, with nice bevelled mirror; A1 condition; only $16.75. Oddy's, 1616 Douglas Street.

BRASS Bed, coil spring and all-felt mattress, just like new. Snap, $27.50. Island Exchange, 735 Fort Street.

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MISCELLANEOUS

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FOR Sale—High-grade shotgun, 12 gauge, D.H., hammerless, $45; radio, complete, one-tube, $17.50; radio, 1-tube, complete with head phones, $10; microscope, $6.75; mandolin and case, $4.75; genuine prismatic glasses, $27.50; 21-level Waltham watches, $17.50; lumbo outer tires new, $22; inner tubes, $1; boy's bicycle, $8.75; gent's Perfect bicycle, $12.50; gold-filled spectacles to fit any sight, $1.75. Jacob Aaronson's New and Second-Hand Store, 381 Johnson Street (four doors below Government Street). Phone 725.

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RAGS, bottles, furniture, old clothes, junk, etc. Best prices. Phone 5078L2.

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ROOM AND BOARD 15

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FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT 18

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HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS TO RENT 19

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HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS TO RENT 19 (Continued)

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A FURNISHED apartment to let, every convenience. 680 Superior St. Phone 5748O.

AT Morrison Apartments, Hillside Street, Fairfield. Furnished or unfurnished suite with fireplace.

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TO RENT—HOUSES 23

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OAK BAY—9

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CYCLES AND MOTORCYCLES 29

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INDIAN Powerplus electrically equipped, tandem seat, good tires, $120. Phone 3465L.

LOST AND FOUND 32

LIGHT grey overcoat with gloves and silk muffler in pockets, lost by visitor to Rotary Conference. 1805 Broad St. Phone 3209.

LOST—Roll of music, addressed Maj Watts. Will finder please notify phone 2681 or leave at Willis Piano Rooms.

LOST—On Wednesday morning, a small 3-wheeled handcart, name of owner on both sides, from 1552 Gladstone Avenue, near High School. $5 reward for information, as to its whereabouts. 212 Superior Street.

LOST—Grey Persian cat in James Bay district. Please phone 2985Y.

LOST—One bag of laundry. Phone 1556.

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TERMS ANNOUNCED FOR LIGHT SERVICE

INTERNATIONAL UTILITIES CORPORATION STATES OFFER TO DUNCAN

Cowichan Decides to Hold Conference With Company's Representative Before Decision

DUNCAN, May 5.—The offer of the International Utilities Corporation of New York to purchase the municipally-owned electric plant of the city was laid before the City Council here last night, and dealt with in committee of the whole. At the conclusion of the committee sitting it was decided to ask the company to appoint a representative to confer on details of the offer with the city's electric light committee.

The company's offer was along the general lines forcast in these columns recently, and given in more detail as follows:

Twenty-Year Franchise

1. The city to grant a franchise for twenty years for the distribution and sale of electrical energy within the city limits. At the end of twenty years the company to receive an extension of franchise or the city to take over the company's holdings at a valuation.

2. The company to pay the city an amount equal to the interest and sinking funds on the city's debt for electric purposes amounting to $65,000.

3. The company to immediately add an oil engine unit of 150 k.v.a. capacity, and to extend the system to meet the requirements of city and inhabitants, and to investigate the possibilities of extending the system to outlying districts, including Quamichan Lake and Somenos Lake areas.

4. The company to take over existing contracts between the city and consumers, both inside and outside the city, and to assume all obligations connected with these contracts.

Light and Power Rates

5. The company to sell to city consumers for domestic light and power purposes at the following rates: First 50 k.w.h. 14c per k.w; next 50 k.w.h., 13c per k.w.; next 50 k.w.h., 11c per k.w.; additional, 10c per k.w.

The city's present rate is graduated down from 16c per k.w.h., on which a discount of 20 per cent for prompt payment is allowed. The company would give a discount of 10 per cent. For power purposes the company's offer is as follows: First 500 k.w.h., 7c per k.w.; next 500 k.w.h., 5c per k.w.; next 500 k.w.h., 4c per k.w.; additional, 3½c per k.w.

For street sign lights the offer is a flat rate of 8 cents per 5 watt light, if burned from dusk to 11 p.m., or 12 cents if burned all night.

For commercial heating, 5 cents per k.w.h.

For city pump, charged as per power rate schedule.

For street lighting system, 7 cents per k.w.h.; the company service to include maintenance, operation, replacements and extensions as required. The company is prepared to take over immediately.

The company's offer to Duncan follows very closely the offer made recently by the same concern to the city of Kamloops.

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LATEST NEWS OF LADYSMITH AREA

Rev. and Mrs. Moss Will Be Away Shortly—Victoria Clergy to Fill in During Absence

LADYSMITH, May 5.—The regular monthly meeting of St. John's Church Ladies' Guild, was held in the parish hall, on Monday afternoon, May 3, a good attendance being present. An item of importance was the arrangement being made to hold a garden party on June 9, on the beautiful grounds of Dr. and Mrs. Maxwell, who have very kindly loaned them for the occasion.

The evening service at St. John's Church on Sunday, May 9, will be conducted by the Rev. S. Ryall, of Nanaimo. The Rev. Edwin Moss will hold divine service at Cassidy.

The Rev. Edwin and Mrs. Moss, of St. John's Church, anticipate leaving on May 11, for a vacation of two weeks. Archdeacon Laycock will conduct the services on Sunday, May 16, and it is expected that Canon Stocken will officiate on Sunday, May 23.

Miss Robinson, of Blainey, is leaving in a few days, for a trip to Ontario, where she will spend the Summer visiting friends.

A roof fire occurred at the General Hospital on Monday morning. The local fire department responded promptly to the alarm, and fortunately little damage was done.

Mr. W. W. Walkem is in Victoria on a business trip. He will also be in Vancouver for a few days during the week.

The City of Ladysmith street committee has commenced the necessary work of improvement on First Avenue. A portion of the street is under repair, which will be graded and oiled.

A waltzing and Charleston dance contest will be held in the Agricultural Hall, on Thursday evening. Radio Four, of Vancouver, will furnish the music. C. Murphy, of Radio Four, will give an exhibition of the Charleston dance.

Hand Injured

SIDNEY, May 5.—The many friends of Mr. B. Ward, Queen's Avenue, are sorry to learn that he had the misfortune to injure his hand while working in the Sidney Mills.

(It was erroneously stated on Tuesday that Mr. Ward had lost his hand as a result of the accident.)

DUNCAN TAX RATE CUT BY COUNCIL

No Tax Will Be Levied on Improvements—Mill Rate for Year Is Set at 38.5

DUNCAN, May 5.—The aggregate tax bill for the citizens of Duncan for 1926 will be less by slightly over $2,000 than was the case last year. A year ago there was raised by taxation, $24,738.78, while this year $22,730 is the amount required.

The estimates for 1926 were laid before the City Council meeting last night by the finance committee, and the tax rate for the year was struck as follows: General rate, 17 mills; debt rate, 5.5 mills; school rate, 16 mills; making a total of 38.5 mills in all. There will be no improvement tax this year.

Last year the tax levy was 33.2 mills on land values and 7 mills on improvements. The assessment on land values was reduced by 15 per cent over last year's figures by the court of revision, several months ago, so that the reduction in dollars and cents in this year's tax bill will be an appreciable one for those owning improved property.

The reduction in taxes would be much more substantial were it not for the new hospital levy, which in the case of Duncan will cost the ratepayers $1,200, while reductions in the amount received from the Government for liquor profits and parimutuel tax, owing to the Government's new methods of dividing these melons, will prevent a greater benefit to the taxpayers.

The grants made by the council this year are as follows: Cowichan Health Centre, Duncan Board of Trade, and Cowichan Agricultural Society, $100 each; Ambulance Fund, $50; Cowichan Library Association and Salvation Army Rescue Home, $25 each.

STRAWBERRY VALE INSTITUTE CONVENES

Women's Institute Will Loan Its Disused Piano to Prospect Lake School Pupils

STRAWBERRY VALE, May 5.—In spite of inclement weather a splendid attendance was a feature of the Strawberry Vale Women's Institute monthly meeting held in the W.I. rooms on Roy Avenue, Colquitz, yesterday afternoon. Mrs. C. H. Williams, president, occupied the chair.

To Loan Old Piano

The institute having acquired a new piano the question of the disposal of the previous instrument came up for discussion. Trustee Mrs. F. McN. Beckett suggested that the piano be loaned to the Prospect Lake School, whose pupils are at the present moment without the means of musical accompaniment for singing, etc. It was unanimously decided to accede to Mrs. Beckett's request.

Esperanto classes were laid over until a later date, the members feeling that Summer and harvest activities made the organization of such a class inadvisable. The question of agriculture was brought to the fore by a letter from the district convener of agriculture, Mrs. T. C. Robson, of Duncan, who bespoke the co-operation of the W.I. members for the institute exhibit to be held with the annual Provincial potato exhibition. The announcement that Mrs. Robson would speak on the subject of "Agriculture" during the coming week, under the auspices of the district board, was received.

Oriental Labor

Voicing decidedly their disapproval of the action of the Provincial convener of agriculture, Mrs. Tomer, of Vancouver, who is alleged to have stated her intention of preparing for the employment of Oriental labor for the coming season—this statement appeared in a recent article said to have been written by Mrs. Tomer, who has been asked to address a meeting of several institutes here, to be arranged by the Strawberry Vale women; this has now been left in abeyance and a protest is being sent to the Department of Agriculture on the matter.

New Headquarters

The premises on Roy Avenue which have to date been used by the W.I. members for meetings, etc., have been sold, and pending the erection of a "social room" on the lot owned by the Institute on Wilkinson Road, a small house has been rented on Roy Avenue where meetings will be held.

It was decided to have an address on the preserving of fruit at the next meeting and Mrs. J. D. Gordon, of Victoria, will be asked to give this.

A dance will be held in Strawberry Vale Hall tomorrow night from 9 until 1 o'clock, with R. Kinloch's orchestra in attendance.

Afternoon tea, served by W.I. members, brought a most interesting meeting to a close.

Many Mourn Tragic End of Mr. A. Duncan

COURTENAY, May 5.—The funeral of Mr. Alec Duncan, who met his death by a falling snag at Major Hilton's logging camp at Black Creek last Friday, was held on Monday afternoon. A brief service was conducted by the Rev. W. T. Beattie in the Presbyterian Church at Sandwick, when the building was hardly able to accommodate the sympathetic friends and relatives of the unfortunate man. Following the committal service by the pastor at the grave side, the Masonic rites were performed by members of the Hiram Lodge, A. F. & A. M., under whose auspices the funeral was conducted. Masons also acted as pallbearers in the persons of Messrs. F. C. Brock, M. G. Fairbairn, F. Field, Keith McKenzie, G. W. Stubbs and Geo. Thomas.

The late Mr. Duncan, who was known throughout the district as "Scotty," has been a resident of the district for many years. He served overseas with the railway construction corps during the world war, and made his home at Grantham where he married a grandaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beach. Mr. Beach being the oldest resident in the district. Besides his widow, Mr. Duncan leaves a daughter fourteen years of age.

COURTENAY WILL ANSWER QUESTIONS

FIVE TENDERS ARE RECEIVED FOR MUNICIPAL DEBENTURE ISSUE

Union Street Fill Has Been Completed, Council Is Told—Other Works Matters

COURTENAY, May 4—There were no absentees at the regular meeting of the city council on Monday night. The correspondence revealed a communication from the Provincial Minister of Agriculture requesting information as to the number of Orientals holding land in the district. The information will be ascertained, and forwarded to the Minister in due course. In response to the efforts of Adjutant F. T. Fox, of the Salvation Army, followed by a communication, a grant of twenty-five dollars was voted for the rescue work of the organization, the amount being the same as that granted by the city last year.

Under the better housing scheme, Mrs. Horne, of Union Bay, made application to the city to have the property on Warren Avenue, recently occupied by the late Mrs. Harris, transferred to Mr. C. F. Smith. The application was left in the hands of the Better Housing committee to arrange the details.

In response to notices calling for offers for the purchase of the debentures covering the city auto park, and the cost and installation of public weigh scales, there were five tenders from the following firms: The Royal Finance Corporation, Pemberton & Sons, R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd., Canadian Bank of Commerce, and D. M. Sullivan, Ltd. The highest offer, that of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, at $2,414 for the two blocks of debentures, was accepted. The debentures at maturity will realize $2,600 with five per cent interest.

The matter of disposing of the property recently acquired by the city under arbitration with Mr. D. Roy, was discussed. This property consists of ten feet fronting on Isabel Street, next to the Macdonald Electric Co., and running back eighty feet. There is also a small building formerly occupied as an office, which, owing to its being partly on the road, must be removed.

It was decided to obtain the opinion of City Solicitor, J. M. Mitchell before deciding on the method of disposal of the property.

Alderman Wm. Douglas submitted a report for the Works committee, showing a considerable amount of progress made in sidewalk construction, which included the completion of the fill on Union Street in front of the Pike's Electric, the amount of material for this work being seven hundred and two yards. The council then went into a committee of the whole to further discuss the proposed supply of water to St. Joseph's Hospital and to Comox.

James Island Personals

JAMES ISLAND, May 5.—Mrs. Storey, of Sidney, spent Tuesday as the guest of Mrs. W. Bond.

On Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. D. A. McNaughton and the Misses McNaughton, Mrs. A. J. Pierce and Barbara, Mrs. McLaren (Vancouver), Mrs. E. Watson, Miss E. Rowbottom, Miss R. Richards, Miss B. Ford, Miss K. Whalen, Mr. E. Rivers, Mr. R. L. Erb, Mr. W. Coopsie, Mr. F. Morris, Mr. J. Collins, Mr. Alhberg (Seattle), Mr. C. Khane, and Mr. G. Rodgers, went over to attend the dance at the Agricultural Hall at Saanichton.

Mr. W. S. Thatcher and Mr. W. Rivers spent the week-end at Cowichan Lake fishing.

Mr. E. A. Eyres and Miss Margaret Eyres, of Vancouver, are spending a few days at their old home, arranging for the forwarding of their furniture to their home in Vancouver.

Miss Jean McNaught, of Sidney, was the guest for the week-end of Miss Margaret Eyres.

Mrs. A. Harper and her son Basil, of Victoria, spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. Milsted.

Next Saturday there is to be held a benefit basketball game between the Victoria Flashlights and James Island Pirates and the Y.M.C.A.'s and the Monabels, to be followed by a dance for Mr. G. Chester. Ray Kinloch's orchestra will play for the dancers.

Mrs. J. Lynch has returned home after spending a holiday in Vancouver.

Miss Allen left on Saturday for Vancouver, to be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Rogers.

Mr. Rankin, of Vancouver, is the guest of his daughter and son-in-law, Mrs. and Mr. J. Lynch.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Deakin have returned to their home in New Westminster, after being guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Clegg.

On Saturday evening a few friends of Mr. E. A. Eyres paid him a surprise visit on the occasion of his leaving for Vancouver. The self-invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Lyons, Mrs. Ide (East Orange, New Jersey), Mr. and Mrs. J. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. W. Rowbotham, Mrs. T. Whalen, Mrs. W. S. Thatcher, Mrs. W. Rivers, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dakin, Mr. C. Wood, Mr. H. F. Noakes, Mr. G. Pallen, Mr. B. Allen, Mrs. J. Biller, Mr. and Mrs. E. Nicks, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. McNaughton, Miss Connie Ford, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Van Norman, Miss Jean McNaught and Miss Margaret Eyres.

Mrs. Parks, Sr., is visiting friends in Nanaimo.

Congratulations are offered to Mr. and Mrs. T. McWhinney on their recent marriage which took place in Victoria on the arrival of the bride (Miss M. Eaton) from Belfast, Ireland. Mr. and Mrs. T. McWhinney have taken up their residence on the Island.

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NEW HIGH SCHOOL AREA RECOMMENDED

Resolution in Favor of Enlarged District Adopted by Duncan Consolidated School Board

DUNCAN, May 5.—A short meeting of the Duncan Consolidated School Board was held here last night.

The principals of the Central and High Schools were present. The former wished to discuss matters in connection with the May Day celebration, which it had been decided to hold on May 20. The Education Department will be asked to authorize a holiday in the Duncan schools on that date. Principal Thorp of the High School conferred with the board on matters connected with that school. The discussion took place in committee of the whole. Mrs. Jeffares, of the Cowichan Health Centre, gave an interesting account of the work done in the dental clinic. The board expressed appreciation of the work accomplished by this branch.

The following teachers on the Central School Staff were granted increases in salary, amounting to $50 per year in each case: Miss E. F. Castley, Miss V. L. George, Miss E. Larson, Miss M. Naylor, Miss G. Owens.

A resolution was adopted asking the Department of Education to sanction the formation of a new high school district, with Duncan as its centre, extending from Shawnigan Lake to Chemainus, and from the east coast of the Island to Cowichan Lake. This, it is believed, would give an improved educational service in this area, and would eliminate the necessity of imposing direct high school fees upon the parents of pupils attending the school from outside the consolidated area.

Dance at Sidney

SIDNEY, May 5.—A successful and enjoyable dance was held in Berquist Hall on Monday, May 3, under the auspices of the Sidney Amateur Athletic Association. Over one hundred dancers were present to enjoy the excellent music supplied by Ozard's three-piece orchestra. A dainty supper of ice cream, lemonade and cake was served by a committee of ladies, the tables being tastefully decorated with the club colors, of blue and white, and lovely flowers. The supper extras were played by Mrs. G. McLean and Mr. R. Brethour, after which dancing continued until the small hours.

French Flying Ace to Try for $25,000 Prize

CAPTAIN RENE FONCK

French flying ace, who will attempt a transatlantic airplane flight in the hope of winning the $25,000 prize offered by Mr. Raymond Orteig. He arrived in New York recently.

Keating Personals

KEATING, May 5.—The many friends of Mr. George Somerville will be sorry to hear that he is a patient in the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Victoria, and will join in wishing him a speedy recovery.

Miss Emily Wallock, of Victoria, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Styan, Central Saanich Road, during the week.

Captain Whiteley has left for the Labrador Coast, where he will remain for the Summer months.

The South Saanich Junior Institute Club has arranged to hold a barn dance on Friday evening, May 7, in Temperance Hall, when Kinloch's three-piece orchestra will be in attendance and supper will be served.

The regular monthly meeting of the South Saanich Junior Institute Club will be held on Thursday afternoon, May 13, at the home of the Misses Blanche and Janet Sherring, Central Saanich Road.

Observe May Day

PARKSVILLE, May 5.—The Parksville Women's Institute gave a very fine dance in the Parish Hall on May Day, and the guests danced round the maypole to the tune of "Come Lasses and Lads, Take Leave of Your Dads, and Away to the Maypole Hie." The decorations, which were very pretty, consisted of red and white hawthorn, laburnum, purple wistaria, white and purple lilac, and other flowers associated with May Day.

Farmers' Institute Meet

METCHOSIN, May 5.—The meeting arranged by the Farmers' Institute which was postponed from April 26, will be held in the Luxton Hall, on Monday, May 10, at 8:30 o'clock. Mr. Simmonds will speak on "Profitable Rabbit Keeping," and Mr. George Pilmer, on goats.

TODAY'S RADIO

Programme of Principal Western Broadcasting Stations

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (329.5)—Silent night.

KFI, Los Angeles, Cal. (467)—5:30 p.m., Mississippi Rhythm Kings from Bamboo Garden. 6 p.m., KFI Nightly Doings. 6:15 p.m., KFI Radio Travel Guide. 6:30 p.m., Vest Pocket Concert. 6:45 p.m., KFI Radiotorial Period. 7 p.m., programme by University of Southern California. 8 p.m., programme by Elsa Zelinda Foley. 9 p.m., programme of the Southern California Music Company. 10 p.m., popular programme.

KFOA, Seattle, Wash. (455)—10:45-11 a.m., cheerio programme for the shut-ins. 12:30-1:30 p.m., The Young Men's Business Club luncheon, from the Olympic Hotel. 3-4 p.m., programme by Women's Clubs of Seattle and the Pacific Northwest, arranged by Mary Gordon. 4:15-5 p.m., The Times News Bulletins, weather report and recipes. 5-5:15 p.m., Mary Gordon reads children a story. Silent night.

KTAB, Oakland, Cal. (240)—8-10 p.m., programme by Breuner's, featuring the Neapolitan Serenaders; Louise, pianist; Mrs. Cyril Anderson, contralto; Clyde Gates, violinist.

KOWW, Walla Walla, Wash. (256)—12-1 p.m., Rotary Club programme. 7-7:30 p.m., weather, markets, talk on Bee Culture. 8-8:30 p.m., musical half-hour by Wm. E. Chase Company. 8:30 p.m., programme by Fischer's School of Music. 11-11:30 p.m., organ recital by Carl Gensel.

KFWB, Hollywood, Cal. (252)—6:30-7:30 p.m., Pontiac 6 dinner hour, featuring Ray Bailey's String Orchestra. 8 p.m., Bill Hatch and his Oakmont Country Club Orchestra, and assisting artists. 9 p.m., Dell's Ice Cream Orchestra and soloists. 10-11 p.m., Warner Bros. frolic.

CNRC, Calgary, Alta. (436)—6 p.m., bedtime stories told by Aunt Mary. 8 p.m., studio programme by the C. N. R. Orchestra, assisted by Wedgewood Robinson, tenor; and Joe Carruthers, baritone.

KHQ, Spokane, Wash. (395)—8 p.m., courtesy programme, featuring Leonardo Brill and his concert trio. 9 p.m., musical programme sponsored by Stewart Warner Co.

KFAU, Boise, Idaho (280)—7-8:30 p.m., musical programme, directed by Mrs. R. Stredder.

CFCQ, Vancouver, B.C. (411)—12-1:30 p.m., radio dealers' programme. 2:30-4:30 p.m., Variety programme. 5:30-6 p.m., Vancouver Star news items. 11:30-1 a.m., dance music, courtesy Gray Remedy Co.

KGW, Portland, Ore. (492)—6-7 p.m., dinner concert. 7:30-7:45 p.m., weather, police and market reports, news items. 7:45-8 p.m., lecture, courtesy Catholic Truth Society. 8-10 p.m., vaudeville programme in twenty minute acts, presenting The Boys of '64; Ebony and Ivory, piano duettists; the Motor Coach Entertainers; the Four Davidson Bakers; the Brice Mortgage Five and a Half percenters, and Tommy Luke's Flower Girls. 10-12 midnight, dance music by Cole McElroy's Dance Orchestra from the Spanish Ballroom, courtesy the Black and White Taxi Company.

CFYC, Vancouver, B.C. (411)—4:30-5:30 p.m., studio programme. 7-7:30 p.m., evening information service. 8-8:30 p.m., Brown Bros. & Company, seedsmen and florists, sponsoring a musical programme.

CFXC, New Westminster, B.C. (291)—6-7 p.m., studio programme.

KGO, Oakland, Cal. (361)—5:30-6:30 p.m., George W. Ludlow, "Friend of Boys." 6:55 p.m., news items and final reading of weather and stock reports and S.F. produce news. 8 p.m., oakland studio. 10-1 a.m., Brokaw's Dance Orchestra from Paradise Gardens, Oakland.

KJR, Seattle, Wash. 384)—10:20-11:30 a.m., Frederick & Nelson programme. Music by Cornish School of Music. 11:30-12 noon, Post-Intelligencer talk: What to Prepare for Tonight's Dinner. 5:40-6 p.m., closing stock quotations, New York. 6-6:10 p.m., weather reports and "The Box Office" daily resume of doings at theatres. 7-8:30 p.m., studio programme by Poole Electric Co., distributors of Eureka Vacuum Cleaner. 8:30-10 p.m., Puget Sound Savings & Loan studio programme. 10-10:30 p.m. Benjamin Franklin Electric Co. musical programme.

CKCD, Vancouver, B.C. (411)—8:30 p.m., news items. 8:50 p.m., studio programme by the Ladies' Auxiliary to Vancouver General Hospital. 9:30-10:30 p.m., Mona Motor Oil Twins, courtesy Pacific Distributors, Ltd.

CFDC, Vancouver, B.C. (411)—1:30-2:30 p.m., home and social activities. 6-7 p.m., dinner programme. 10:30-11:30 p.m., an hour of dance music.

KQW, San Jose, Cal. (227)—6:30 p.m., U.S. Department of Agriculture programme. "Fifty Farm Flashes." Subject: "Fruits and Vegetables." 7 p.m., California Farm Bureau evening radio news, consisting of news dispatches, weather reports, mail bag, farm topics and editorial talks.

KTBI, Los Angeles, Cal. (294)—7:15-8 p.m., Aunt Martha's children's hour. 8-8:30 p.m., Prof. W. H. Head, of the public speaking department of Venice High School, will give his weekly Biblical impersonations. 8:30-9:30 p.m., musical programme, vocal and instrumental numbers.

KNX, Hollywood, Cal. (337)—7 p.m., H. L. Crockett Co. courtesy programme. 8 p.m., Willys-Overland dealers courtesy programme. 9-11 p.m., feature programme. 11 p.m., Ray West's Cocoanut Grove orchestra from Ambassador Hotel. 12 midnight, Don Meaney's midnight frolic.

KPO, San Francisco, Cal. (428)—6:30-7 p.m., Waldemar Lind and States Restaurant orchestra. 7-7:30 p.m., Rudy Seiger's Fairmont Hotel orchestra. 8 p.m., programme, featuring the KPO string quartette. 9 p.m., concert by the Pacific Musical Society. 10-11 p.m., Cabria Cafe dance orchestra, Billy Long director.

KHJ, Los Angeles, Cal. (405)—6:30-7:30 p.m., children's programme, presenting Dickie Brandon, screen juvenile, and others. 7:30 p.m., Dr. Philip M. Lovell will speak on "Care of the Body." 8-10 p.m., programme featuring the Zoellner string quartette.

FRYING PAN FROM VOYAGE WAS RELIC

Cowichan Indian Treasured Kitchen Utensil Given When Vancouver Circumnavigated Island

DUNCAN, May 4.—One hundred and thirty-four years have elapsed since Captain George Vancouver, in the good ship Discovery, ploughed the waters of the Gulf of Georgia, but incidents connected with the meeting between the Island's first circumnavigator and the Indian natives are still spoken of by aged members of the Cowichan tribe.

An old Indian, now nearing the century mark, and whose father was one of those who met the famous discoverer in 1792, tells of the wonder of the natives when they beheld the sails of Vancouver's ship. At first it was believed to be a gigantic seabird swimming upon the waters, but when it was found to be a great canoe bearing a crew of white men, a council of chiefs was held to decide what attitude should be adopted towards the strangers. It was resolved boldly to approach the strange craft in their war canoes and extend a welcome to the visitors.

Welcomed Heartily

When the canoes drew within hailing distance of Vancouver's ship, the sailors signalled by friendly gestures for the Indians to come on board. This they did with some degree of timidity, but the sailors soon made it clear that they were welcome and that the white men's visit was a friendly one. Captain Vancouver and other of his officers shook hands with many of the leading Indians.

Ship-biscuits were offered to the natives by the sailors, but the Indians did not know what they were for. When Vancouver's men showed by example that they were intended for food, the indians tasted them, but the strange food made no appeal to their palate, and the biscuits were carried off as souvenirs.

Gift of Frying Pan

The redmen returned this courtesy by gifts of salmon. Some of these were immediately cut up and fried in the ship's kitchen. The Indians were greatly interested in the cooking arrangements, and one of the Cowichans begged for the gift of a frying pan. The ship's cook made a present of one to the Indian, who carried the prize as an exhibit to show to his fellow tribesmen at home.

The Indian's attempt to use the frying pan, however, was not a success. He did not understand the necessity for the use of grease in his cooking operations, with the result that the fish and flesh he attempted to cook were burned and spoiled, and the pan also was quickly ruined.

This ancient relic of the Discovery was a valued treasure in the home of a Cowichan Indian until recent years, when it unfortunately was lost when the house in which it was kept was burned to the ground.

Young People's Society Of United Church Holds Session

KEATING, May 5.—The meeting of the Young People's Society of the South Saanich United Church was held in the church parlor on Monday evening, with a large attendance. Miss C. MacNab presided, and the secretary-treasurer's report was read by Miss Ida Heyer, also the correspondence. The treasurer's report showed that about $30 had been cleared by both the Sidney and South Saanich Societies when the play, "Deacon Dubbs," was presented at Sidney.

A letter of thanks was received from the Solarium Fund committee, thanking the members for the donation of $32. A communication from the debating team of the Victoria High School Cadets announcing that the affirmative would be taken by their team in the debate, "Resolved that trade unions increase the industrial efficiency of a nation." The debate will be held in the church on June 7, and South Saanich will be represented by Miss Christina MacNab, Mr. Stewart Stoddart and Mr. William Hawks.

All who are taking part in the pageant of motherhood, which will be given on Sunday morning, May 16, at the church, when the young people have entire charge of the service, are asked to be present at rehearsal on Saturday evening in the church at seven o'clock. The society also decided to take the service at Sidney on the evening of the same day in the unavoidable absence of the pastor, Rev. Mr. Lees.

The members were sorry to hear of an accident to Mr. W. Hawks, who was to have addressed the members on a religious subject, it being religious night in charge of Mr. W. McClure and Miss L. Deering. In the absence of the speaker, Mr. W. McClure, Sr., addressed the members. The speaker was accorded a hearty vote of thanks. A spelling-bee was subsequently held. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

The next meeting on May 17 will be in charge of the sports committee, Mr. Albert Hafer and Mr. George Somerville.

The brain does not see or hear or feel, nor does it plan or hope or love. —Sir Oliver Lodge.

Her Face Was Covered With Large, Red Pimples

Miss Greta Carlisle, 23 Leonard St., Brantford, Ont., writes:—"A short while ago, my face was completely covered with large red pimples, and it seemed that it was almost impossible for me to get rid of them, as nothing I took seemed to do me any good.

One day I noticed an advertisement of

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and I will never regret the day I bought it, as, now, my face is entirely cleared up of blotches and pimples of every kind."

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Finance and Commerce

STRIKE CURTAILS MARKET TRADING

BROKERS TIMID AT MAKING COMMITMENTS — BULLISH EFFECT EXPECTED

U.S. Pig Iron Prices Stiffen as British Shipments Are Held Up—Oil Stocks Strong

NEW YORK, May 5.—Extreme dullness characterized today's stock market with prices displaying a relatively firm undertone. The British general strike apparently ceased to be a factor in the determining of price movement, such activity as occurred being predicated on domestic reports which, in the main, were favorable.

The lethargy of the stock market was attributed to a rather widespread desire to restrict commitments, pending further developments in England. Unless the strike takes a more serious turn and develops into a bitter class struggle, it is felt in many quarters that the immediate effect will be bullish rather than bearish in character. The possibility of a check to British pig iron shipments to this country already has been reflected in a stiffening price tendency for the domestic product.

Oils Strong

Oil shares gave one of the best exhibitions of group strength with buying influenced by recent publication of constructive trade statistics, reports of large current earnings and favorable dividend rumors. Standard Oil of New Jersey moved up to within a point of the year's high at 46½.

Call money renewed at 3½ per cent but advanced to 4 when banks called between $25,000,000 and $30,000,000 in loans. Time money ruled firm at 4 to 4¼ per cent but prime commercial paper slightly easier, the best ruling at 4 per cent.

Total sales were 672,200 shares.

The continued weakness of foreign obligations contrasted with the firmer tone of domestic issues in today's dull bond trading. A slight stiffening of money rates following the withdrawal of more than $25,000,000 in bank loans tended to restrict operations.

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Bid
Allis Chalmers	42-7	42-7	42-7
Allied Chemical	118	116-2	116-4
Am. Beet Sugar	26-5	25-5	25-5
Am. Beach Mas	26-6	26-0	26-6
Am. Can.	45-1	44-4	44-4
Am. Car & Fdy.	93-4	93-4	93-4
Am. Intl. Corp.	56	55	55
Am. Linseed	38-2	38-2	38-2
Am. Locomotive	56-6	55	56
Am. Smelters	117-5	113-7	117
Am. Steel Fdy.	41-4	41-4	41-4
Am. Sugar	68-1	68-1	68-1
Am. Sum. Tob.	11	11	11
Am. Tel. & Tel.	146-2	145-5	146-2
Am. Tobacco	116-2	115-2	116-2
Am. Tobacco "B"	115-4	115-3	115-3
Am. Woolens	24-5	24-5	24-5
Anaconda	46-5	46	46-3
Armour "A"	15-3	15-4	15
Atlantic Gulf	38-7	38-5	38-6
Atchison	150-1	148-7	150
Baldwin Loco	103-4	102-2	103-4
Baltimore & Ohio	87-5	87	87-1
Bethlehem Steel	58-4	58-6	58-5
Brooklyn Manhat	63-5	63	63-2
California Packing	127-5	127-5	127-5
California Pete	35-5	32-5	35-5
Canadian Pacific	156	154-2	155-2
Central Leather	8-2	8-2	8-2
Cerro De Pasco	63	63	63
Chandler pfd.	51-0	51-0	51-0
Chesapeake & Ohio	133	133	133
Chic. Gt. Western	5	5	5
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	10-5	10-5	10-6
Chic., M. & St. P. pfd.	18-1	17-5	18-1
Chic. & Northwest	71-4	71	71
Chic. R.I. & Pac.	42-4	47-6	49
Chrysler Motor	52-5	51-4	51-4
Coca Cola	146-7	145-6	146-7
Cole Fuel & Iron	55-7	55-4	55-4
Columbia Gas	76-4	75-6	76-5
Cons. Gas	92-6	92-4	92-4
Cont. Can.	74-4	74-4	74-4
Cont. Oil	26-1	25	26-1
Cont. Motor	10-5	10-5	10-5
Corn Products	88-7	88-7	88-7
Cosden Oil	31-5	31	31-3
Crucible Steel	66-6	65-0	66-6
Cuba Am. Sugar	25-4	25-4	25-4
Davison Chemical	35-6	35	35-4
Del. Lack. & West	157-1	157-1	157-1
Dodge Bros	21-2	27-5	28
Dodge Bros pfd	81-1	81-1	81-1
Dupont Powder	216-4	216	215
Elec. Power	19	18-4	19-4
Engineer Gold	13	13	13
Erie	31-4	31	31-4
Famous Players	118-5	114-4	119-6
Fisher Body	84	84-2	84-3
Foundation Co.	58	58	58
Fleischmann Co.	49-5	49-3	49-5
General Asphalt	84-2	80-7	83-4
General Cigar	49-6	49-5	49-5
General Electric	318-4	317	317
General Motors	132-6	131	131-4
General Petroleum	59	58-4	58-7
Goodrich Rubber	32-4	32-4	32-4
Grasby	19	18	18
Great North. Ore	21-4	21-2	21-2
Great North. pfd.	73	71-0	73-5
Gt. West Sug	24	54	54
Gulf States Steel	67	67	67
Houston Oil	58	58	58
Howe Sound	50-4	50	50-4
Hudson Motor	58-1	58-1	58-2
Illinois Central	128-3	128-2	128-2
Imperial Oil	34	34	34
Inspiration	22-5	22-5	22-6
Intl. Comb. Eng.	45-7	44-3	45
Intl. Pete	32-5	32-3	32-4
Intl. Mer. Marine	5	5	5
Intl. Mer. Mar. pfd.	55-7	55-6	55-6
Intl. Nickel	34	34	34
Intl. Tel. & Tel.	113-2	113-2	113-2
Kan. City South.	41-4	40	41-1
Kennecott Copper	58-1	58-6	57-0
Lehigh Valley	52	52	52
Louisiana Oil	14-3	14-3	14-3
Louis. & Nash	122	122	122
Mack Truck	114	114-4	114-4
Manhatten Elec.	70-2	70-2	70-2
Marland Oil	56	54-4	56-4
Mexican Seaboard	8	7-6	7-7
Miami	13	12	12
Miss. Pacific	61-2	59-7	61
Miss. Pacific pfd.	79-4	76	79-4
Montana Power	78	75	76
Montgomery Ward	62-1	61-1	61-4
Mexa Motor	56-2	55-2	56-2
Motherlode	4-3	4-3	4-3
Motor Meter	57-2	56-2	56-2
Motor Whsl	28-4	28-4	28-4
Nash Motors	63-7	63-6	63-6
National Biscuit	54-4	54	54
Natl. Cash Reg.	42-1	41-5	41-7
Natl. Dairy Prod.	41-4	41	41-1
Natl. Lead	147	147	147
Norfolk & West	145-5	145-5	145-5
North American	47-2	46-5	46-7
Northern Pacific	76-6	75	76
N.Y. Central	123-6	123	123-2
N.Y., N.H. & Hart.	58	58-4	58-4
N.Y., Ont. & West.	31-4	31-4	31-4
Parkard Motor	14-6	14-5	14-5
Pacific Oil	56-6	56-2	56-5
Pan American	46-1	46-1	46-1
Pan American "B"	44-5	44-5	44
Pennsylvania R.R.	61-5	61-3	61-2
People's Gas	130-7	130-7	130-7
Pere Marquette	41-4	41	41-4
Phil. Reading Coal	38-4	38-4	38-4
Phillips Pete	46-1	44-3	44-4
Pierce Arrow	24-5	24	24-4
Producers & Ref.	13	13	13
Pullman Co.	158	157-2	157-5
Pure Oil	37	36-4	36-5
Radio	38-4	38-1	38-2
Rail. Steel Spring	63	63	63
Ray Cons.	13-6	13-4	13-4
Reading	74	73-4	74
Rep. Iron & Steel	48	48	48
Royal Dutch	51-5	51-5	51-5
Savage Arms	77-4	77-4	77-4
Schulte	50-6	42-1	45-2
Sears Roebuck	45-5	45-3	45-3
Shell Union	24-5	24-4	24-5
Sinclair Cons.	21-4	21	21-1
Sloss Sheffield	117-4	116-4	116-4
Southern Pacific	100	98-5	99-5
Southern Railway	110-1	109-7	110
Standard Gas	52-2	51	51-1
Standard Oil, Cal.	55-5	54-5	55-4
Standard Oil, N.J.	46-3	44-3	46-2
Standard Oil, N.Y.	21-1	21	21-1
Standard Oil, Ind.	54-4	54-1	54-5
Stewart Warner	74-6	74	74-2
St. Louis & S. Fran.	50	50	50
Stromberg Carb.	65	65	65
Studebaker	62-7	62-2	62-2
Stutz Motor	28-4	24	27-4
Tennessee Copper	11-5	11-5	11-5
Texas Co.	50-7	50-3	50-7
Texas Gulf Sulphur	153-4	152-5	152-5
Texas Pacific R.R.	63-2	61-4	63
Texas Pac. C. & O.	14-2	14	14-2
Timken Roller	42-5	42-3	42-3
Tobacco Prod.	57-4	56-4	56-6
Tobacco Prod. "A"	126-4	126-4	126-4
Transcont. Oil	5-7	5-6	5-6
Union Pacific	148	148	148
U.S. Cast. Iri. Pipe	185-4	184-3	185-3
U.S. Ind. Alcohol	60-7	60-2	60-4
U.S. Rubber	61-4	60-3	60-5
U.S. Steel	123-5	121-0	123-6
U.S. Steel pfd.	128	128	128
Universal Pipe	17-4	17	17-4
Vanadium	34-4	34-4	34-4
Wabash	70-7	70-7	70-7
Western Union	143-4	143-4	143-4
Western Pacific	55-4	55-2	55-4
Westing. Elec.	55-4	55-5	55-5
White Motor	54-6	54-1	54-1
Willys-Overland	23-4	23-1	23-2
Willys-Overland pfd.	54-6	54-5	54-5
Woolworth	145	144	144
Worth. Pump	75	74-4	75
Yosten Sh. & Tu.	76-6	76-6	76-6

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, May 5.—Foreign exchanges weak. Quotations in cents: France—3.12½; cables 3.13. Italy—4.01⅝; cables 4.01⅝. Belgium—3.85½. Germany—23.80. Holland—40.14. Norway—21.48. Sweden—26.78. Denmark—24.10. Switzerland—15.36. Greece—1.24½. Poland—.1060. Czecho-Slovakia—2.96. Jugo-Slavia—1.76. Austria—.14. Rumania—.37½. Argentina—40.00. Brazil—14.43⅝. Tokio—46.65½. Shanghai—76.25. Montreal—168.125.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, May 5.—Sterling exchange weak. Demand 484 11-16, cables 485 5-16, 60-day bills on banks 480 3-16.

At Victoria

Buying 482⅝; selling 485⅝.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, May 5.—Butter and cheese, unchanged; eggs, firm.

Cheese—Finest Westerns, 18c.

Butter—No. 1 pasteurized, 33½c.

Eggs—Storage extras, 36c; storage firsts, 33c.

Potatoes—$3.50 to $3.75.

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FIRMER TONE SEEN IN WINNIPEG WHEAT

Prices Recover From Tuesday's Dip and Close Is Strong at Fractional Gains

WINNIPEG, May 5.—The wheat market displayed a firmer tone today and after a little dip during the first hour prices were above the previous close. Reports from London that the strikers had agreed to the discharge of foodstuffs from ships, including grains, was an important factor in the advance to higher levels. The close was strong, ranging ⅝ cent to 1⅝ cents up, with May at $1.51½, July at $1.50⅝ and October at $1.34. At one time during the session prices were 2 to 2½ cents above Tuesday's close. Trade volume was not heavy, but a good export business was reported from Vancouver on Tuesday. The coarse grains were featureless. Prices, however, were higher in sympathy with wheat. The cash market displayed a little better tone and some grades were in fair demand.

Spreads improved fractionally.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	169	152⅝	150⅝	151⅝b
July	140	151⅝	148⅝	150⅝
Oct.	131	135⅝	133⅝	134
Oats—				
May	48⅝	48⅝	47⅝	48⅝
July	48⅝	48⅝	47⅝	48⅝
Oct.	48⅝	47	46⅝	46⅝
Barley—				
May	61⅝	61⅝	60⅝	61⅝b
July	62⅝	63⅝	62⅝	62⅝a
Oct.	..	..	..	60⅝b
Flax—				
May	135⅝	135	123	133b
July	198⅝	198⅝	195⅝	198⅝a
Oct.	200⅝	201⅝	199⅝	199⅝a
Rye—				
May	85⅝	86⅝	85⅝	85b
July	86	86⅝	85⅝	87⅝a
Oct.	85⅝	87⅝	85	86⅝a

Cash Prices

Wheat—1 nor., 153⅝; 2 nor., 148⅝; 3 nor., 143⅝; No. 4, 137; No. 5, 124⅝; No. 6, 111⅝; feed, 95⅝; track, 151⅝; screenings, $3 a ton.

Oats—2 cw., 49⅞; 3 cw., 46⅞; extra 1 feed, 45⅞; 1 feed, 43⅞; 2 feed, 40⅞; rejected, 38⅞; track, 48⅞.

Barley—3 cw., 61⅞; 4 cw., 57⅞; rejected, 56⅞; 1 feed, 56⅞; track, 61⅞.

Flax—1 nwc., 193; 2 cw., 189; 3 cw., 175; rejected, 165; track, 193.

Rye—2 cw., 85.

Victoria Stock Exchange

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver		2.00
Dunwell Mines	1.55	1.65
Glacier Creek	.55	.65½
Gladstone	.32	.36
Gleanar		.40
Goldsmith	.14	.16
Howe Sound	30.00	33.00
Independence	.62	.65½
Indian Mines	.67	.65½
International Coal	.15	.18
Lakeview	.03½	.05
Leadsmith		.10
Lucky Jim	.14½	.15½
Marmot Metals	.03	.10
Porter-Idaho	.03	.10½
Premier Mines	2.20	2.25
Rufus		.30
Richmond	.05½	
Silverado		.10
Silver Crest Mines		.14
Silversmith	.49	.61
Sunloch Mines		.50
Surf Inlet Gold	.07	.02½
Termious		.15
Victoria		.25

Sales

522 Dunwell at 1.57, 200 Silversmith, 51.

Calgary Oil Stocks

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., by direct private wire)

	Open	Close
Advance	.55	.57½
Alberta Associated	1.00	1.00
Alberta Pacific Cons.	.45	.46
Big Chief	.16	.18
British Dominion	.53	.56
Cherokee	.35	.40
Dalhousie	3.46	3.25
Great West	.61	.65
Illinois Alberta	1.14	1.20
Midwest	.75	.75
McLeod	5.40	5.50
McDougal Segar New	1.00	.80
Mill City	.60	.50
Moose Mountain	.75	.75
Turner Valley	.70	.70
United Oils	3.20	3.30
Vulcan Oils	4.40	4.20

Spokane Stocks

(From Northwest Mines Investment, through R. F. Castle & Co.)

	Bid	Asked
Alax	.22	.30
Ambergris	.13	
Caledonia	.07	
Callahan Zinc-Lead	1.40	1.50
Gladstone Mountain	.32	.35
Goldsmith	.18	.21
Hecla	16.00	16.00
Leadsmith	.05½	.09½
Marsh Cons.	.85½	.94½
Premier Gold	2.29	2.75
Richmond Cons.	.04⅝	.05½
Sherman Lead	.10	.12
Silversmith	.48	.50
Standard	.08	.14
Stratton	.24½	.27
Sunshine	.25	.28
Tamarack	.40	.45
Western Union	.54	.56

VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver	1.51	1.60
Bowena Copper		.05
Bayview		.10
Dunwell	1.54	1.65
Gladstone	.32	.35
Hamilton Gold Cobalt		.21½
Howe Sound	35.50	36.50
Independence	.58½	.62½
Indian Mines	.65½	.69½
International Coal		.20
L. & L.	.11	.12
Lucky Jim		.17
Leadsmith		.02
Lakeview	.02	.03½
National Silver	.10	.20
Premier	2.25	2.30
Porter-Idaho	.09½	.05½
Richmond	.06½	.06½
Selkirks	.02½	.04½
Silver Crest	.10	.12
Silversmith	.48	.50
Surf Inlet	.58	.02½
Athabaska		.10
B.C. Montana	.00 3-16	.00 5-16
British Petroleum	.20	.25
Maple Leaf		.50
B.C. Perm. Loan	152.00	

Morning Sales—25 B.C. Electric Power and Gas at 181, 1,000 Independence at 59, 1,000 Gas at 101; 1,200 Independence at 62, 1,000 British Petroleum at 22, 25 at 22½; 600 L. & L. at 12; 100 Dunwell at 1.55.

Afternoon Sales—150 Dunwell at 1.53, 200 at 1.55, 200 at 1.54, 650 L. & L. at 12, 1,000 at .12½, 500 Selkirks at .04, 1,000 Indian at 52½, 500 at .05½, 1,000 at .10; 1,200 British Petroleum at .21.

VICTORY AND WAR BONDS

Victory Loan, 5½%—Tax Free

Interest due—	Bid	Asked
1927, 1st June and Dec.	100.60	101.50
1933, 1st May and Nov.	104.85	105.55
1937, 1st June and Dec.	109.60	109.60

War Loan, 5%—Tax Free

1931, 1st Apr. and Oct.	101.15	102.15
1937, 1st Mar. and Sept.	102.45	104.45

(Payable New York)

Victory Loan, 5½%

1927, 1st May and Nov.	100.40	101.40
1932, 1st May and Nov.	102.55	103.55
1934, 1st May and Nov.	102.85	103.85

Dominion Loan

1918, 15th Apr. and Oct., 5%	99.35	100.35
1943, 15th Apr. and Oct., 5%	101.15	102.15
1945, 1st Mar. and Sept., 4½%	98.45	99.45
1944, 15th Apr. and Oct., 4½%	98.00	99.00
1924, 1st Feb. and Aug. (C.N.R.), 5%	100.00	

Add accrued interest to date.

1927, 1937, 185 days, 2.238 per $100.
1927, 1933, 1934, 1934, 4 days, .022 per $100.
1928, 1943, 30 days, .374 per $100.
1944, 30 days, .746 per $100.

A rocket designed to travel six miles a second has been invented.

Winnipeg Grain Letter

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

WINNIPEG, May 5.—Wheat: The market gave a better account of itself today and while the full advance was not held, prices closed from 1c to 1⅜c above the close yesterday. Liquidation was heavy during the first hour, after which it appeared to have run its course and offerings were rather small in the late trade. There was a good class of buying in evidence which was credited to export business and Eastern interests, although seaboard was confined to only a small business in Manitobas and durums.

Cables received from London that the strikers had agreed to the discharge of foodstuffs, including wheat and possibly coarse grains. Only light showers were received west of Swift Current, there being no moisture east of that point. The forecast is for warm temperature with light showers throughout the West. Wheat seeding will be pretty well completed by the end of this week in all three provinces and undoubtedly a good soaking rain over all parts of the West would be very beneficial. A number of complaints of the lack of surface moisture and soil drifting are being received. Deliveries throughout the clearing house today were 377,000 bushels of wheat. There was a better tone to the cash market today with a fair demand for certain grades.

Coarse Grains—Dull, featureless markets, with the smallest trade passing than for some time. Oats and rye were a little firmer, but barley was steady at unchanged prices. With navigation now open trade is expected to broaden out.

Flax displayed some strength in the early trading, but eased off and closed unchanged. Offerings light, but demand very moderate.

Chicago Grain

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

CHICAGO, May 5. — Wheat: Pressure on wheat met with increased resistance throughout the session. Deferred deliveries relatively firm at times due to continued dryness over the major portion of the Spring wheat territory on both sides of the line. Independent strength in Winnipeg and Minneapolis, apparently a reflection of improved demand for wheat and flour from the other side, was instrumental in attracting support locally. Trade did not broaden on the flurries, however, and as a consequence they were difficult to maintain. Cables received from London late in the day, to the effect that the labor situation in the United Kingdom had agreed to unload grains at ports aroused considerable comment. The movement of wheat from the farms of this country continued moderate. There were 50,000 bushels of hard wheat reported purchased in Kansas City to come here. Local demand for cash wheat was fairly good, with premiums on No. 2 hard as much as 1½ cents higher for the day. For the present the market promises to act unsettled and a trading attitude seems best pending developments.

Corn sold off under scattered selling and then steadied in the last hour, recovering part of its loss in sympathy with the leading cereal. Commission houses operated on both sides of the market. Movement of corn from the country showed little change and a commercial demand locally was healthier with basis unchanged to ¼ cents higher. There were 657,000 bushels of corn delivered on contract. Country offerings were reported as moderate.

Oats more than recovered early losses in the late session. Commission house orders today found offerings light and a little short covering developed strength. Deliveries for today totaled 263,000 bushels. Deliveries so far this month have been moderate in proportion to stock on hand.

Rye showed an easy undertone compared with wheat, but managed to finish on slightly higher ground in sympathy. News reports were without change. Foreign demand slow, 212,000 bushels delivered on contract.

NEW YORK CURB

2 O'CLOCK LIST

Industrials

	Bid	Asked
Acme Coal	.05	.15
Centrifugal	.17	.17⅝
Checker Cab	.11	.11
Durant Pel.	.05½	.06½
Mesabi	.01½	.02
Stutz	.26	.27½
Ren	.19⅝	.20
Tob. Prod. Ex.	.02⅝	.03⅝
Un. Profit Shar.	.11⅝	.12
Un. Retail Candy	.06⅝	.07
Cities Serv., com.	.41	.41½
Cities Serv., pfd.	.44⅝	.44⅝
Cities Serv., Bkra.	.26⅝	.27⅝
Am. Gas El.	.72⅝	.72
Lehigh Pow. Secs.	.13	.13½

Oils

	Bid	Asked
Carib	.12⅝	.13⅝
Glenrock	.24	.26
Int. Pete.	.32½	.33
Marl Mex.	.02	.02⅝
Mexico Oil	.02	.03
Cont. Oil	.21⅝	.21⅝
Penasco Oil	.20	.20⅝
Ryan Cons.	.04⅝	.05⅝
Sapulpa	.01	.02
Salt Cr. Prod.	.21	.21⅝
Salt Cr. Cons.	.08½	.09⅝
Wilcox	.24⅝	.25
Mountain Products	.35	.35⅝

Mines

	Bid	Asked
Ariz. Globe	.11	.13
Butte & West	.01	.16
Cal. Jerome	.15	.16
Cons. Copper	.05½	.05½
Cressna	.02⅝	.03⅝
Dolores	.43	.50
Eureka	.03	.05
Hecla	.16⅝	.17
Hollinger	.15	.14⅝
J. V. Dev.	.55	.56
Kerr Lake	.01	.01½
Mason Valley	.01⅝	.02
Nipissing	.05⅝	.05⅝
Ohio Copper	.03	.04
Teck Hughes	.03⅝	.05⅝
Un. Eastern	.35	.45
Un. Verde Ex.	.24	.25⅝
Wayne Coal	.10	
New Montana	.51⅝	.52⅝

MONTREAL STOCKS

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	Bid
Abitibi	73-4
Asbestos	100-4
Asbestos (new)	21-7
Asbestos pfd.	124
Atlantic Sugar	22-4
Bell Telephone	135
Brazilian Trac.	33-4
B.C. Fish. & Pack.	62
Brompton Paper	29-4
Can. Cement com.	121-4
Can. Cement pfd.	114
Can. Car Fdy. com.	42
Can. Car Fdy., pfd.	80
Can. S.S., com.	15-4
Can. S.S. pfd.	67-4
Can. Cottons	100
Can. Converters	90-4
Can. Ind. Alcohol	57-4
Cons. M. & S.	103
Dominion Bridge	74
Dominion Glass	85
Dom. Textile	103
Howard Smith	49
L. of Woods Mfg.	147
Laurentide Co.	83-4
Mackay Co.	120-4
Montreal Power	87-4
National Breweries	38-4
Ontario Steel	64
Ogilvie Milling Co.	170
Ottawa Power	34
Penmans Ltd.	177
Shawinigan	173
Spanish River Pulp	97-0
Spanish River Pulp, pfd.	114
Steel of Canada	99-3
Twin City Elec.	62-3

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Three C.P.R. Directors Again Elected to Board

MONTREAL, May 5.—At today's annual meeting of the Canadian Pacific Railway, the retiring directors, Ross H. McMaster, J. K. L. Ross, and Sir Thomas Skinner, Bart., were re-elected for a period of four years.

The resolutions contained in the annual report, published some time ago, were ratified and other routine matters attended to.

METAL MARKETS

LONDON, May 5.—Standard copper, spot, £66, 12s; futures, £67, 10s. Electrolytic, spot, £64, 5s; futures, £64, 15s. Tin, spot, £272, 2s, 6d; futures, £266, 17s, 6d. Lead, spot, £27, 17s, 6d; futures, £28, 7s, 6d. Zinc, spot, £32; futures, £32, 5s.

At New York

NEW YORK, May 5.—Copper, dull; electrolytic, spot and futures, 13⅝. Tin, firm, spot and nearby, 64.25; futures, 60.12. Iron, steady, unchanged. Lead, steady, spot, 7.85. Zinc, steady; East St. Louis, spot and futures, 6.75 @ 6.85. Antimony, spot, 13.00.

MONEY MARKETS

LONDON, May 5.—Money, 4⅝ per cent. Discount rates: Short bills and three months' bills, 4½ @ 4⅝ per cent.

At New York

NEW YORK, May 5.—Call money firmer; high, 4; low, 3½; ruling rate, 3½; closing bid, 4; offered at 4½; last loan, 4; call loans, against acceptances, 3½. Time loans, firmer; mixed collateral, 60-90 days, 4 @ 4½; 4-6 months, 4. Prime mercantile paper, 4.

SILVER MARKETS

NEW YORK, May 5.—Bar silver, 66½. Mexican dollars, 50⅝.

At London

LONDON, May 5.—Bar silver, 30⅝d per ounce.

FOREIGN BONDS

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	Bid	Asked
French 7's 1942	20⅝	21
French 7½'s 1941	58	58⅝
French 5's 1915	100½	101½
Austrian 7's 1943	160⅝	161
German 7's 1947	122⅝	123½

Heavy wire springs that can be attached to many kinds of hinges have been invented to keep doors closed.

Dominion Has Greatest Chance of Trade Growth

Mr. C. P. W. Schwengers, at Charleston Convention, Points Out That Commerce Between Canada and U.S. Has Least Fear of Interruption

Emphasizing the warm feeling of friendliness and the beneficial trade relations that have existed between the populations of Canada and the United States for over a hundred years, the keynote of his address on "Friendship and Trade Across the Invisible Border," Mr. C. P. W. Schwengers, president of the Chamber of Commerce, Victoria, opened the "Canadian Session" of the National Foreign Trade convention at Charleston, S.C., late last month. Copies of his speech, as reported in the Charleston Evening Post, have just reached Victoria.

The speaker directed the attention of his hearers particularly to "that invisible monument, the greatest edifice ever erected to the efficacy of the English speaking civilization, 3,500 miles of international frontier line without a gun and without a soldier on guard," in measuring the degree of enlightenment that people of the United States and Canada have attained in commercially and industrially developing their territories into the greatest producing continent of the world. His remarks were closely followed and he was accorded enthusiastic applause. Chairman J. A. Farrell, National Foreign Trade Council, presided over the session.

Mr. Schwengers declared that he was particularly impressed with the motives of the president of the Foreign Trade Council that had stirred him to accord entirely one of the convention's sessions to Canadian affairs, at the same time making the prediction that the co-operation of the Dominion would be of big assistance in extending the foreign trade of the country along the broader lines that were in contemplation.

Canadian Trade

"The Canadian people are not buying from you 90c or $4 or $5 per head of their population, but $70 per head for every man, woman and child in the Dominion, or and aggregate of $600,000,000 per year," said Mr. Schwengers.

"Let me tell you that the Canada of today is but an infant in arms compared with the great commercial and industrial giant which she will one day become in world affairs.

"If you wish a bird's-eye view of the Canada of the future, then take the United States as she was a hundred years ago with all her great resources still untouched and place a population therein of 9,000,000 instead of 120,000,000. Instead of the facilities of that period, remember the adequate transportation systems of today, the quick means of communication and the appliances of modern science available for development. Then remember that Canada is larger in area than the United States and in many respects richer in natural resources. You can then fainlly comprehend the tremendous development that will take place in the Dominion in the next few decades.

"I believe the United States recognizes the fundamental principles of Canada's economic structure. Firstly, her reasonable protective tariff to foster her growing industries, a tariff developed without antagonism to any nation and without bearing any intentional or deliberate hardship on any other country. You have set us an excellent example in this respect and which we have only copied to a reasonable and friendly degree.

Preferential Tariff

"Secondly, there is a British preferential tariff. I am one of those who believe that the United States in her enlightenment and broad-mindedness is pleased and proud of the fact that the Canadian nation is part of the British Empire. The British preferential tariff is based on sentiment. It is recognization of what we owe to our Mother Country and it is also in recognition of what the Mother Country stands for today in world affairs. But this preferential tariff is also mighty good business.

"Great Britain buys nearly fifty per cent of Canada's exportable surplus and we have to use some instrument to enable Britain in turn to sell us an adequate and compensating value of return goods. This tariff forms an adequate and convenient method of attaining this object.

"Having spoken of these two chief cornerstones of our structure, there is also a third, namely, our north and south trade route with the United States. This trade route is at least, if developed along sane lines, the safest and most permanent in the world, being free from outside interference and exigencies of world disturbance. It is this north and south trade route which we are called upon to consider today.

Canada's Position

"I only propose to deal with it in a few concise sentences because others will follow me in greater detail. In brief language, the situation is as follows: Canada today has a small population and an immense surplus of production. In just such measure as she finds markets for this surplus, so her prosperity will develop and her purchasing power increase. It is an axiom of trade that you can only buy as you can sell. Canada in 1924 purchased from the United States $600,000,000 worth of goods and in return sold $400,000,000 worth, so there was a balance of trade against her of something like $200,000,000 in the year."

Mr. Schwengers concluded by contrasting these figures with those of United States consumption of Canadian goods, and declared that no country in the world but the United States could gain more advantage from Canadian development and prosperity.

MAGISTRATE GIVES A WARNING TO PARENTS

Young Men Sentenced to $300 Fines for Having Supplied Beer to Two Young Girls

Parents are morally responsible if harm befalls their daughters because of a lack of parental supervision, Magistrate George Jay declared yesterday morning in the City police court, while sentencing Horace Taylor and Henry Behnson to fines of $300 each, or to jail terms of three months, for having supplied liquor to minors.

To a crowd of young men assembled in court to watch the proceedings against Behnson and Taylor, his Honor added a warning of the seriousness of the offence with which the accused were charged and the severity of the penalty provided.

Motorcycle Constable Strong testified he arrested the accused at about 2:45 o'clock on Sunday morning. Patrolling Dallas Road he came across a motor car parked on that thoroughfare between Cook and Douglas Streets.

Weeping, a girl stood in the road near the car. A second girl was sitting beside Taylor in the front seat of the car. Behnson was sitting alone in the rear seat. Eleven bottles full of beer and four empty beer bottles were in a sack in the back of the car.

Girls Give Evidence

Asked how old they were, one girl told Constable Strong her age was eighteen, the other that she was seventeen years old. Conscious of the odor of beer while they spoke to him, Constable Strong asked them where they got the liquor. Both said, the officer testified, they were given the beer by Taylor. None of the party was drunk, he said. One girl had said she was the fiancee of Taylor.

The two girls were summoned to the witness stand yesterday morning and in response to the questions of City Prosecutor, C. L. Harrison, told of the happenings of the evening. They had started out to go to a theatre, they said; had gone to a house of a friend in Victoria West where they drank one bottle of beer each; went for a drive around town; stopped at a bootlegger's where the men had bought beer and loaded it into the car; motored about town again; had a second bottle of beer and eventually were apprehended by Constable Strong.

"I am not able to distinguish between the defendants," said Magistrate Jay, in pronouncing sentence. "Each is equally to blame. They took these young girls out and both together went to buy beer. They kept them out to that late hour, when both girls had said they wanted to go home."

Penalty Is Severe

His Honor added that the statute was designed to prohibit the supplying of liquor to minors. Only parents were allowed to do this, he pointed out. They could give liquor to their own children, at home and at their own discretion. But no one else could provide minors with intoxicating drink.

"I have frequently pointed out in this court the serious consequences resulting when men, or women, either, for that matter, supply young people with liquor," his Honor continued. "The penalty provided is severe. Anyone guilty of this offence is liable under the statute to a fine of not less than $300 or more than $1,000 and, in default of payment, to a term of not less than three months.

"I wish every young man here this morning would listen to that," said Magistrate Jay, eyeing the crowd in the spectator's gallery. "It can not be too widely known," he added, pointing out that magistrates had no power to reduce the minimum penalties provided or to suspend sentence.

Mothers Are Responsible

"Mothers have a responsibility towards their children and towards their daughters, particularly, to see that they are not out late at night and to exercise care as to the people with whom their daughters spend their evenings. If they do not—then they are morally responsible for anything that may happen to their children."

The case against Mrs. L. J. Cook, to whose home in Victoria West the party was allegedly to have paid a visit early in the evening, was dismissed.

Mr. Stuart Henderson appeared for the accused.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE DIRECTORS TO MEET

Question of Saanich Roads and West Coast Life-Saving Facilities

There will be a meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce tomorrow at noon when a number of matters will come up for consideration.

A committee consisting of the Rev. M. W. J. Bruce, president of the Saanich Board of Trade, and Mr. W. O. Wallace, vice president of that organization, will be present at the meeting to discuss with the local Chamber the question of road improvements in the adjoining district.

The question of life-saving facilities for the West Coast will also come before the meeting. This matter was laid over from the last meeting for the purpose of getting more exact information.

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Kayser Full Fashioned Chiffon Hose, with pointed heels, neat fitting and very smart in appearance. In shades of black, gunmetal, Circassian, silver and platinum. A pair **$1.95**

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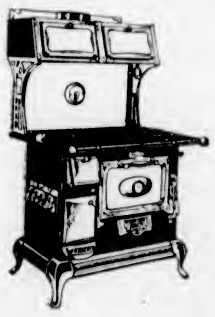

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